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MR. SEIBERT

More About the Caucus of the Governor Makers.

HENNESSY MYSTIFED.

Judge Cowgill Wanted to See Him at the Planters', but Couldn't Be Found There.

The Post-Dispatch's account Wednesday of the secret caucus the night before at the Planters' Hotel held by ex-Gov. D. R. Francis, State Auditor J. M. Selbert, Railroad Commissioner James Cowgill and Rall-road Lobbyist John H. Carroll created a sensation among local Democratic poli-

A great many of them were loth to be-lieve it. None of them had seen Auditor Selbert in the city for more than a week, and as he was never before known to come here without hunting them up at the places where they are known to congregate, the inference was natural, among those who do not want to believe that Mr. Selbert is lia-ble to lend himself to the corporation lob-byists, that the Post-Dispatch had been missed.

byists, that the rost-Dispatch was not mistaken. But the Post-Dispatch was not mistaken. Every statement contained in Wednesday's story is substatially correct.

Those whose names were mentioned did actually hold a secret political caucus in room 330 of the Planters' Hotel Tuesday night. The caucus began about 9 o'clock and lasted sill after midnight;

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That the gubernatorial nomination was the principal subject discussed was evidenced by remarks overheard by persons who did not appreciate their import or have the least idea that importance was attached to a meeting between -Francis, Seibert, Cowgill and Carroll.

As the four walked up the two fights of stairs to the room they had secretily engaged Francis leaned on the arm of Seibert and in tones loud enough to be heard by two persons who at different times met them on the stairway and in the hall the ex-Governor was urging the Auditor to come out boldly and announce himself a candidate for Governor.

Railroad Lobbyist Carroll and Judge Cowgill followed close behind, and one of them was heard to complain that the party had not taken the elevator instead of walking up to the room. Once inside the apartment they closed and locked the door and nothing more was seen of any of them until nearly I o'clock Wednesday morning, when ex-Gov. Francis passed through the hotel corridor to Fourth street and entered a cab. He was followed a few moments later by Auditor Seibert, who also took a cab and is supposed to have driven to the Union Station, where he secured a berth in the sleeping-car attached to the Missouri Pacific fast mail that leaves here at 3 a. m., and is presumed to have returned to Jefferson City.

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How or when Messrs. Cowglil and Carroll left the hotel is not known, and it is believed that they remained in the house the rest of the night. No. 330 is the entrance room to a suite, and since they could not rent this room without also engaging its companion, No. 328, the inference is farthat comfortable accommodation for the night was thus provided them both.

But no record of the occupancy of this suite by this party on Tuesday night or any other party appears on the Planters' any other party appears on the Planters' register books. From an examination of the registers one would judge that the rooms were vacant that night, though it is known positively that they were engaged by the four persons named, and it is also positively known that the emiment quartette of Governor-makers were shown to the rooms by one of the hotel employes, who, under instructions, denies that he did so.

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Closer investigation of the matter reveals that Auditor Seibert reached St. Louis at an earlier hour Tuesday evening than at first stated by the Post-Dispatch. He was seen and spoken to by an acquaintance in an unfrequented corner of the Planters' lobby about 8 o'clock that evening. He is described as appearing nervous and ill at ease at that time, so much so, in fact, that the acquaintance thought his society for some reason was not wanted by the Auditor and he accordingly left him.

Directly after leaving Mr. Seibert the same gentleman started toward the Fourth street exit of the hotel and on his way out met ex-Gox. Francis and Lobbyist Carroll entering the building by that door.

He shook hands with them both and chatted pleasantly for a few minutes, when they were joined by Auditor Seibert, and then the gensleman quit the party.

The particulars of the caucus are necessarily meager. Of course the four gentlemen known to have participated will not talk about it, and in fact Judge Cowgill, who remained in the city Wednesday without registering at any of the principal hotels, is quoted by a friend as strenuously denying all knowledge of it.

Judge Cowgill, by the way, passed nearly all of Wednesday morning in the office of the Chief Grain Inspector, and when he left thera he told that official that if ex-Raifroad Commissioner Tim Hennessy called there to see him to tell him that he was stopping at the Planters', where he would like to see Hennessy in the afternoon. In response to this message Mr. Hennessy called at the Planters' a little after 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and inquired for Judge Cowgill.

"Nobody with that name is stopping here," said Assistant Manager Cunningham, who, in the vernacular of the day is "onto his job" as well as any hotel man in the world.

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"But," insisted Mr. Hennessy, "he left word for me that he was stopping here and that he wanted to see me."
"I can's help that," replied Mr. Cunningham, "I tell you he isn't here." "Have you seen him around the Jobby during the last day or two?" Mr. Hennessy anxiously inquired.

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"I don't know Judge Cowgill even by sight," responded the patient and accommodating hotel man, "and therefore couldn't tell you whether or not he has been in the lobby at all."

"But he stops here nearly every time he comes to town," Mr. Hennessy continued, "and it's strange you don't know him."

Then Mr. Cunningham was called away to listen to the troubles of another man, leaving Mr. Hennessy mystified as to the whereabouts of Judge Cowgill.

"This is a strange affair," mused Mr. Hennessy to a Post-Dispatch reporter who had witnessed the paipable discomfure he had unconsciously caused the affable Mr. Cunningham. "Cowgill left word for me at two or three piaces this morning that he wanted to see me and that he was stopping at the Plantera' Hotal. Now, when I call here to see him I am told that he isn't here and I can't was not his name on the register. I don't understand it."

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A Post-Dispatch reporter called on Col. Phelps Thursday morning and asked him about it. The Colonel received the reporter with a courtesy that was embarrashing and a volubility of speech in startling contrast to his usual taciturnity.

When asked for an interview, Col. Phelps called his stenographer and told the reporter to dictate to that individual the questions, to which he would reply through the same medium. This was done, with the following result:

Q. Were you at the Planters' House caucus Tuesday night? A. I have not been in the Planters' House since the 20th day of January, and have not seen, Mr. Selbert or Mr. Carroll since the meeting of the State Committee at Excelsior Springs.

Q. Is it a fact that you are tavoring the candidacy of Mr. Selbert for Governor? A. I do not know that Mr. Selbert is a candidacy of Mr. Selbert for Governor? A. I do not know that Mr. Selbert is a candidacy of Mr. Selbert is a candidacy of Mr. Selbert is one of the strong make in the Democratic party in Missoul make in the Democratic party in Missoul make in the Democratic party in Missoul make in the Strong as he is, and I take to interest in the matter further have how the thin the late of the strong make in the Strong as he is, and I take to interest in the matter further who, for some reason known only to themselves, imagine they are leaders, and that mest of the Democratic have one who will poll every Democratic how to make the report of the State pass sleepless nights for fear that they will not yield to the urgent demands of their friends and become sandidates for office. Mr. Selbert seems to have escaped this fatal maisday, which, unfortunately, is so prevalent, and in that particular commends himself to the people, who are tired of dissensions in the party.

Q. What do you think of the proposition advocated by some hat the proposition will recei

SEIBERT IS WILLING.

The Auditor Talks Cautiously About the Planters' Hotel Caucus.

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"Are you a candidate for Governor?"

"What was the purpose of your recent trip to St. Louis and the subject of the Planters' House caucus?"

"In response to urgent solicitation I have the last two weeks conferred with friends in different parts of the State upon this subject and on Tuesday night went to St. Louis and while there saw a few friends to ascertain whether or not insthe event I became a candidate for Governor I could expect their support. For reasons which I expressed to friends at Excelsior Springs I am loath to enter the contast, and naturally, being a silver man, not in accord with Mr. Cleveland's financial policy, I was anxious to know if this fact would militate against my election if nominated, as it must be apparent to any one who reflects upon the situation that it will be necessary to carry all elements of the party to insure success at the pols.

"I have not yet determined what I will do, but if I become a candidate I shall say so candidly at the proper time."

Auditor Seibert said, when first asked if he would grant the interview, that he was averse to being interviewed and that the time had not yet come to declare the purpose of the Planters' House caucus. Being pressed for an answer, he retired from his office and consulted some of his friends upon the matter. The above reply was the result.

From 10 a. m. to 11 a. m. Auditor Seibert

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From 10 a. m. to 11 a. m. Auditor Selber and State Secretary Lesueur were closeted in close consultation in a basement room of the Secretary's department.

State Senator F. L. Marchand Discusses Mr. Seibert's Aspirations. Senator F. L. Marchand, Judge J. A. Anderson and Attorney Samuel B. Jeffries of Lewis County, Missouri, are at the Laclede

fewis County, Missouri, are at the Laclede Hotel. They came here to take depositions and incidentally are discussing politics.

Senator Marchand said: Everything was pretty quiet in my district until that bomb about State Auditor Selbert becoming a Francis candidate for Governor exploded. The boys can hardly realize that "Free Silver" Selbert has crossed over into the gold fields. I don't believe it.

"Mr. Selbert showed his true metal at the Pertle Springs Convention and he isn't the man to turn back. Some may say it is a move to unite party factions. Well, we are united to a certain extent, but it will hurt the Auditor to enter the race under the Francis colors.

"Notwithstanding, I believe he is true to the free silver cause and is not anxious to get in with the gold candidates. Nobody knows better than he that it will hurt him. In our district there are twenty free silver advocates to one single standard Democrat.

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crat.
"Ex-Gov. Francis is a good friend of Seibert and has been for years, and probably
appreciates his standing in the State. But
the free silver men will appreciate too keenly the move of the gold element. It is some
scheme to help them at the coming State



UNCLE SAM-"Well, I'm not so poor, after all."

-From the New York Telegram

ACCIDENTAL POISONING.

a Fatal Mistake.

Deputy Coroner Albers held an inquest

Vednesday on Rivers Blythe Meriwether.

His wife and the attending physicians testified and a verdict of death from ac-

cidental poisoning was returned.

Mr. Meriwether will be buried privately
Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from his

cide is out of the question; is inconsistent with everything about him. He had the happlest home in the world, the loveliest

HE CALLED THE POLICE.

Clarence E. Smith, clad only in a suit of inderwear and a coat, rushed wildly down

ine street at 2:30 Thursday more

residence, 4263 Morgan street. Mrs. Minor Meriwether, when

ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVE.

Built by the Baldwin Works for a Steam Railroad.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 6.—The
Baldwin Locomotive Works of this city
have shipped to the Westinghouse Electric

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Ernest Rossler is
4 feet high and only 13 years old, but he was have shipped to the Westinghouse Electric Works, in Allegheny, the first electric locomotive ever built for a steam railroad. The Baldwin works made everything about this engine but the electric mechanism, which will be supplied by the Westinghouse company. The locomotive is the size of an ordinary bux-car, about 30 feet long, and mounted upon two four-wheel trucks. Completed, it will weigh sixty tons. It is geared for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded for 800 horse power, which will be supplied to the same that the same sof Officers O'Connor and Face With house some the same that th pleted, it will weigh sixty tons. It is geared for 800 horse power, which will pull a loaded freight train forty miles an hour. By a single change of the gearing this engine can be run up to 1,600 horse power and can pull a train eighty miles an hour. This locomotive is intended for freight. The passenger ones will attain a far higher speed. The wheels are 42 inches in diameter.

Only a space 3 feet square is needed in the locomotive for the electric motor. One man will operate the locomotive by means of a controller similar to that on a common trolley car, only much larger and stronger. The locomotive is built to be operated by either overhead or underground wire. It carries no coal, fire-box, smokestack or water tank. In front is a powerful electric search-light for use at night to light the track. The cost of the new electric locomotive is about equal to that of a steam locomotive, or \$10,000.

ATTACKED A BANK SAFE.

Rebbers Use Dynamite Freely But Without Success.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 6.-An attempt was made to burglarize Rogers & Sons.' Bank in Bedford, a suburb, at 3 o'clock this morning. The front doors were forced open, the safe was drilled and a charge of dynamite safe was drilled and a charge of dynamite put in. The explosion blew off the front door of the safe.

A second charge was put into the middle door, but the explosion failed to force it off, although it wrecked the entire safe. The burglars escaped towards this city.

THE WEATHER.

Occasional Rain or Snow Thursday Night or Friday.

Weather Bureau forecast: For St. Louis and Vicinity-Continued cloudy weather with occasional rain or snow to-night or Friday. Little change in emperature.

temperature.

For Missouri-Snow flurries; colder tonight. Friday fair; colder.

For Illinois-Partly cloudy to-night and
Friday. Colder Friday.

The pressure still remains abnormally low
east of the Rocky Mountains. The storm
which was central Wednesday morning over
Lake Superior, has disappeared, and its
place is occupied by the "low" which moved
eastward from Montana. A depression is also central in Eastern Kanssa and Oklahoma.
The storm which was central in Southern
Louislana has moved very rapidly northeastward to Virginia, with increased enersy,
the barometer reading below 25.49 inches in
that State.

There have been general rains in the
East and South, and local snows in the
West and Northwest; 2.48 inches of rain
fell at Montgomery, Aia. The temperatures
have generally risen in the East and West
and have failen in the interior.

FOUGHT LIKE A WILDCAT.

Small Boy in New York Steals a Watch and Resists Arrest.

Special to The Post-Dispatch. and Fagan. With a hoarse cry of rage the Mr. Beno is 27 years old. When 9 years fellow threw the watch in the face of Offi-old he ran a piece of glass in his foot. It did

A HUMAN PINCUSHION.

Henry Beno of Pensacela Claims That Rivers Meriwether's Death Was Due to Distinction.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.-Henry Beno's heart stopped beating for three seconds yesterday, stopped beating for three seconds yesterday, while his face, arms and body were pierced by a score of pins and knives and he ate fire to improve his digestion. After the performance, Mr. Beno, who is from Pensacola, Fia., modestly remarked that he had puzzled 9,87 doctors in all the States of the Union and when he had puzzled 5,02 more he would announce himself to the world as the champion human pin-cushion, thoroughly bullet and fire-proof.

COUNTRY CIRCULATION.

FROM A LETTER TO CHAS. H. JONES, EDITOR AND MANAGER.

In reference to the country circulation of the Post-Dispatch which had been carried on at a loss to the paper, your Committee noted particularly what effect the increase in price, which took place on January 1st, would have on its circulation, but it was not possible, at the time of rendering this report, for your committee to determine this precisely. To date the percentage of loss has not been more than twenty per cent, and we have reason to believe that the first loss will be the greatest, especially inasmuch as your canvassers in the country were withdrawn during the holidays, and have just resumed work. We have examined the letters of your Country Agents and find that by far the largest percentage of them are well pleased with the change, and will push the paper more vigorously than before.

There has been no loss of circulation in the city, however. On the con trary, the circulation in the city has steadily increased during the past month and during the past two months.

cer Fagan with such force that it out the policeman's cheek. Then taking the pistol again in both of his tiny hands he fired it directly at the heart of Officer O'Connor. The pixtol missed fire and Fagan grabbed the kicking boy with one hand and secured the revolver with the other.

"— you!" shrinked the little prisoner; "If these carringes were not wet I'd have hered you full of heles."

Ugly Rumors Connected With the Bidding for Bonds.

The Success of the New Loan a Surprise to Bankers and Treas-

ury Officials.

SOME VERY CLOSE FIGURING.

special to The Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—There is an ugly feeling among a number of the bidders for the bonds. There are stories of favoritism afloat which are so serious as to warrant he most careful statement. The midnight circular of Secretary Carlisle said that "sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Treasury at Washington until 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 5th day of February, 1896." When the gentlemen representing the great financial interests of New York and other cities appeared at the Department to witness the opening in public of the bids for bonds in the manner prescribed by law and custom they were astonished at the discovery that the committee appointed for the purpose had already been at work for hours; if not all night, putting in tabulated form the offers which had been received up to and including yesterday. No public explanation was offered for this departure from the regular proceedings. But the reason given officially was that there had been such an overwhelming number of offers as to make it absolutely necessary for an early opening in order to expedite matters.

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When it was admitted that the bids were opened before 12 o'clock on Wednesday, and when the evidence is presented to the eyes of all present that the bids which they had come to see opened had already been transcribed in supposed privacy, there is revealed a tremendous possibility for scandal. In such circumstances the only safety of the Administration lies in the character of those officially concerned in the extraordinary proceeding. This being said, that which follows, and which is current gossip, becomes interesting if not significant.

J. Pierpont Morgan came to Washington Tuesday night in his private car, arriving at 3:30 on the limited train. He had every opportunity, so far as time is concerned, to get all the information he desired, and a hint in advance in such a transaction would be of priceless value.

The question asked by the disappointed ones is, "Why was the Morgan combination able to shade its bid to the fraction surficient to beat all the other heavy bidders?" "Was there a leak in the Treasury, and if there was no leak, why did the Government depart from all precedents in beginning the determination of an award hours before the appointed time and in violation of the announcement implied in the Secretary's circular?"

The list of bond bidders at and above

Second National Bank, Danville, Ill., \$35,4

Thursday, said: "Yes, I believe morphine

Francis L. Farris, Kansas City, 1 wife and the sweetest children. He had no vices, never drank nor even used tobacco. Mary E. Barker, Kansas City, Kan., to 000.

His home was his joy and at the clebration of his tenth wedding anniversary, Monday a week ago, he said to his wife he hoped and expected to be as happy in the next ten years of his married life as he had been in

> AWARDING THE BONDS. All Bids Above the Morgan Figures

or else the druggist had put two uses in one paper.

"When he was partially aroused I said, "My dear, I fear you took too much opiate. He whispered, "Maybe I did, but the doctors—. Then he went off into dreamland. Unless my son went suddenly insane, and there is no lunacy in his blood, he could not possibly have intended to quit this world; he had every reason to care for life—a happy family, a good income, an elegant home. It is cruel enough on his young wife to lose her husband—it is unspeakably unkind to add to her anguish by utterly unkind to add to her anguish to the add Must Be Accept
WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The wor
scheduling and classifying the bids o
yesterday was resumed to-day and Then They Arrested Smith and His Valiant Friend Johnson. rejected.
It was expected by the Treasury of that the Secretary would be able to case some discretion in the accepts bids, and therefore would be in a to give preference to parties who ecretary will grant the request.
Treasury officials are especially
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FAITH IN UNCLE SAM. mificance of the Gold Offering at Washington.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The Press says editorially: "Once in a generation it seems to be accessary for some one to fire on Sumter. Mr. Morgan did it for this generation. He will not do if again. Under that swe-inspiring heap of haif a billion in gold is flattened the reputation for 'high finance' of him who would have been a Rothschild, and who remains a Simpson.

"Under that pile, too, is flattened the reputation of a President of the United States as a safe custodian of public funds. If he were a trustee of private funds, he would be removed by the court. He would be cut at his club. He goes through life from this day on with a moral obligation hanging around his neck for the repayment to this plundered country of the \$,000,000 which he took from its vaults a year ago and distributed in secret among a coterie of Wall street adventurers while his law partner held the light.

"We spoke but now of firing on Sumter. There was no hyperbole contained within the speech. In thirty-five years there has been no manifestation similar to that of the uprising of the loyal States till yesterday. Then with that deliberate quiet which struck Hawthorne as the most awful feature of the uprising in '6i, the people of this Union assembled at the great gray shrine of the public credit at Washington and pledged their faith in the indestructible character and unblemishable honor of this Government for, as far as they were concerned, all time to come. War or peace, weal or woe, good government or bad, with or without a Senate full of March hares! coin or currency, coast defenses or none, the people of this country took every ounce of gold in it—the bids just about equal the estimated free stock—and laid it on the palm of Uncle Sam's outstretched hand! This is like that which came after Sunter. This is absolute unquesticning belief. This is the faith which removes mountains."

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"I am very much gratified, more than gratified, at this demonstration of the readiness of our people to sustain the Treasury in its purpose to maintain the credit of the United States and to pay our obligations in the very best money current. One effect in my opinion will be an immediate restoration of confidence in the ability of this Government to redeem all its obligations. I think the benefits will be felt industrially, financially and politically. The restoration of confidence, which after all is the great desideratum, will set the wheels of industry in motion with an impetus that will soon make itself felt in all sections of the country.

"Financially, the good effect will be appreciated abroad and at home. Foreign countries will see that our people are willing and capable of taking care of their credit. All fear of discrediting our obligations must disappear before this manifest evidence of American ability and willingness to hold the Government credit above suspicion.

"Politically, this grand response of our people comes at a most opportune time. It will overcome the mischief of the free silver legislation. It will demonstrate that our people are not poverty-stricken; that they are reality in a prosperous condition and will offset the allegations that we are driven to a state that requires a depreciated currency to save the people from absolute suffering.

"I do not apply these comments with re-

driven to a state that requires a depreciated currency to save the people from absolute suffering.

"I do not apply these comments with re-gard to politics to any particular party. The effect of the loan being subscribed for in a total aggregating more than five times the sum desired by the Government will re-call citizens who have wandered off after false monetary gods to a realizing sense of this country's unbounded resources and its ability to hold its own under all circum-stances."

WHAT BANKERS SAY.

The Bond Sale Will Greatly Help the Business Boom.

YORK, Feb. 6.-Regarding the result of the bond sale representatives of banking houses all expressed satisfaction. banking houses all expressed satisfaction.

"It will result in a general improvement of business everwhere throughout the country," said a member of the firm of Moore & Schley, "and it establishes beyond a question that the credit of the Government of the United States is equal to that of any nation in the world, if it is not superior."

Col. Reiff of Woerishoffer & Co., said: "These must be sad times for some of the people who have been predicting the failure of public loan. There is Mr. Rothschild of London, for instance, who announced that

of public loan. There is Mr. Rothschild of London, for instance, who announced that English bankers were not going to invest ir 'Inited States bonds because they did 'A're the looks of the political situation r here, and were not satisfied the Government could uphoid its credit. The success of the bond call shows that this country's credit is as good as it ever was, if not better."

"I expect to see the market at 120 before many days," said Banker Trowbridge of the firm of Vermilye & Co., "and the sharp advance in the prices of bonds is a certain indication that the success of the public call has lifted a heavy weight from the

call has lifted a heavy weight from the market."

Mr. John A. Siewart said: "I did not go into this to make money, but to prevent the credit of this country being ruthlessly sacrificed by a sale of its bends at prices below their value. The bids sent in by me came from over 200 banks, trust companies and individuals all over this country, from Maine to Georgia, and from the Atlantic to the Pacific."

Henry W. Cannon, President of the Chase National Bank, said in regard to the result: "This issue demonstrates the great wealth of this country, and should completely sat at rest any feeling that our credit is not as good as any nation of the world. While many bidders will undoubtedly be disappointed, it will be much easier for comparatively few individuals and institutions to handle the lissie than if a great many small bidders had been successful. I see no reason why there should be any difficulty, with the money market under the circumstances."

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Special to The Post Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The World says sditorially: "It is a curious fact that Mr. Pierpont Morgan with his bid for \$100,000,000 of new bonds at 110,6877, fractionally overtopped John A. Stewart's bid of 110,075 for 776,000,000. Can it be possible that Mr. Morgan had the advantage of the newly discovered photography, which reveals objects through opaque substances—such as envelopes, for example?"

THE ENGLISH VIEW.

Success of the Loan Will Have a Favorable Influence Abread.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Westminster Ga-sette this afternoon says: "The action of President Cleveland in deciding upon a pep-ular loan was fully justified and cannot ular loan was fully justified and cannot fall to have a favorable influence, not only in the United States, but abroad. The success of the loan is a useful reminder to Englishmen that in spite of financial disorders and the eccentricities of the administration, the United States is a very rich country and has a great reserve store of wealth among its people. The success is not wholly hopeful of the prospects of peace-rully solving the Venezuelan dimenity and is only too likely to add to the aggressive self-confidence which caused the President's message and the new Oiney dootrine to be hailed with so much enthusiasm. We have no desire to be pessimistic, but we search vainly for any indication in the United States of a disposition to concede anything. Oafe, Library and Buffet Parlor Cars To Chicago on Wabash fast day train.

Opening of Spring Novelties

in which we are the
ACKNOWLEDGED LEADERS IN EXCLUSIVE STYLES.
We have now open first importation of
WASH FABRICS, SILKS, DRESS GOODS, LACES and EMBROIDERIES, SEPARATE SKIRTS and SUITS, to which we invite inspection.

Will offer on Friday a Matchless Assortment of FRENCH, GERMAN and BRITISH FABRICS

in all the swell effects and Up-to-Date ideas, such as slans, Chameleon Brocades, Dantelle Jacquards, Silk and Wool Broches, High Art Parisian Novelties, Swell Plaids, British Novelty Checks, Sootch Cheviots, etc., At Popular Prices.

SPECIAL OPENING SEASON'S BARGAINS.

New 52-inch All-Wool and Mohair Brocades,
Diagonals, etc.,
FRIDAY, Opening Season's Price, 85c.
New 52-inch All-Wool Fancy Cheviots,
Two-toned Diagonals, Iridescent Tweeds, Illuminated Cheviots, etc.,
FRIDAY, Opening Season's Price, 75c.
New 40-inch All-Wool and Silk and Wool
Fancy Cheviots, Tweeds, etc.,
FRIDAY, Opening Season's Price, 48c.

Will Have Open To-Morrow, FRIDAY, KAIRIQ RUGS,

oorrect copies of
The Best India Rugs, superb colorings and designs.
They are Much Superior to any
Japanese Rugs we have before offered and
Lower in Price.
We show them in all sizes up to 9x12 feet,
UPHOLSTERY ROOMS, THIRD FLOOR.

Will Offer FRIDAY
250 LADIES' CLOTH JACKETS,
Seasonable weights, latest styles, at about
HALF THE ACTUAL COST.

Great Dollar Kid Glove Sale.

6,000 pairs of Foster Lacing 7-Hook First Quality Glace Glove, comprising all the new spring shades for 1896, in black, tans, modes, browns, slates, red, blue and greens, in sizes 5% to 8.

The lowest price this grade of goods has been sold is \$1.75.

Our price will be on this lot only, which has been sent us by the manufacturers on account of overproduction,

\$1.00 Per Pair.

which is but little over the actual duties. Remember, these are not seconds, but first quality and a regular \$1.75 grade.

HEADSMAN'S

Scott Jackson Admits That He Killed Pearl Bryan.

HE IMPLICATES ANOTHER.

Crime Mystery Solved and Probable Murderers Discovered by Means of the Victim's Shoes.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 6.-Scott Jackson, accused of the murder of Pearl Bryan of Greencastle, Ind., has confessed his guilt and implicates Alonzo M. Walling.

Friday night, but he tries to lay the whole blame on Jackson. Jackson, thile he admits his own guilt, takes pains to implicate Walling.

The satchel which the murdered woman brought here on Jan. 28, was shown to Jackson to examine the blood stains in it. He would not quite admit that the head had been in the satchel, but said it looked as if it had been there.

A statement reade by Jackson in his cell this morning may be an indication of the

A statement made by Jackson in his cellthis morning may be an indication of the
plea that he will make.
"I am afflicted with fainting spells," he
said, "and after they pass away I get delirious and don't know what I am doing.
While a boy living in Indianapolis I have
risen in a delirium after a spell and dressed
myself and have wandered around for
hours without knowing what I had done."
He seemed much depressed by the loneliness of the place as he was speaking to
visitors.

Scott Jackson made his confession by small statements. He is obstinate and made it because he saw clouds of evidence gathering around him. Not a word of the details of the crime has he spoken. When he admits that the girl was murdered, he does it as if a third person had committed the crime. The striking thing about it is the implication of his roommate, Alonzo Walling. Walling has confessed a knowledge of the crime, but only as a go-between for Jackson. There is no doubt that Jackson was the principal and that William Wood, arrested at South Bend, Ind., and now on his way here, is deeply implicated. A bundle Walling has also confessed to a personal of letters from Wood to knowledge of the murder of the girl last this part of Jackson's confessed to a personal of letters from Wood to knowledge of the murder of the girl last this part of Jackson's confessed to a personal of letters from Wood to knowledge of the murder of the girl last this part of Jackson's confessed to a personal of letters from Wood to the letters from Woo



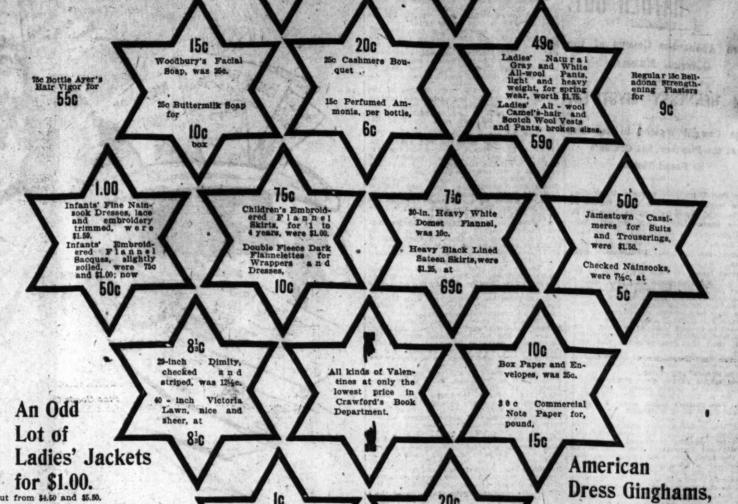
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Suitable for Ladies' Waists; S. C. Davis and Co.'s price was Spc. See our fancy Silks at 59c; they are the talk of the city; nothing like them in America at the price.

Teck Ties, Adams' price, 25c and 35 Soap for

Two Specials in Men's Underwear.

Men's Fine Lamb's Wool Shirts and Dr ers, very heavy, extra fine quality; price 98c; Adams' \$1.75. BIG DRIVES in Men's UNLAUNDERED



For \$2.50— Ladles' Short and 3-4 Length Jackets, Tan, Black and Mixed Cloths; cut from \$6.50 and \$7.50. For \$5.00—
One lot of Ladies' Handsome Short Jackets, Ripple Back, four-button front; colors Tan, Brown, Black, Navy and Mixed; cut from \$9.50 and \$11.50. 35c Pocket Knives \$2.50 extra fine Ra

Corded Velvet Dress

For \$12.60— Electric Seal Capes, 30 inches long; cut from \$25.00.

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5 cents. Pocketbooks,

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Pearl Bryan was in a delicate condition and Jackson says Wood is responsible for it. She arrived here at the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Depot on Tuesday night, Jan. 23, at 7.0 clock.

John Belli took her to the Indiana House, and by her orders notified Jackson. She told Delli that if Jackson did not come to see her Walling would. Jackson says in his confession that she came here to have an operation performed. He implies that Walling was the man that procured it. Meaning the meaning of the confession that she came here to have an operation performed. He implies that Walling was the man that procured it. Meaning was the was the was found there and arrested. operation performed. He implies that Walling was the man that procured it. Meantime, he says, she was killed in the attempt to perform the operation.

Neither Walling nor Jackson is specific in his statements at this writing as to where and how the crime was performed. Both agree that it was committed last Friday

and how the crime was performed. Both agree that it was committed last Friday night.

Walling is the more frank in his statements. Jackson speaks stolidly, but looks as if he would burst with remorse.

Jackson confessed that he visited the girl Wednesday, January 29. He admits that he took her clothing out of her hand satchel and made away with it.

"Why did you do that?" was asked him.

"To cover up our tracks," was the reply. That valles was shown him. The police had obtained it in a barber shop where he left it last Monday night, enjoining the barber to let no one but him have it.

"Open the vallse," said Chief Deitsch, as he handed it to Jackson. The prisoner mechanically opened it.

"What do you see in there?" asked the Chief.

"Stains," said the prisoner, under a terrific nervous strain." thundered the rific nervous strain:
"What sort of stains," thundered the

"What sort of status," he responded "It must be blood stains," he responded stolidly.
"It was the head that made those stains?" asked the Chief.
"Well—I—should think it was," stammered

asked the Chief.

"Well—I-should think it was," stammered the prisoner.

"Was it there that you carried the head?"

"It tell you that I did not carry the head."

The prisoner has been obstinate on this point.

He said in his private confession in Col. Deitsch's office earlier, that he thought he head was thrown into the Ohio River. The bottom and sides of the poor girl's satchel were stained purple with her own blood.

Walling, in his confession, said that Jackson was not back until midnight last Friday night. He says Jackson said to him when the clew of the shoe came out:

"—— those shoese, they will get us into trouble yet."

Walling says he met Jackson at Sixth and Race streets about 7 o'clock last night and Jackson said: "Walling, it looks as if that Green Castle business will bring us trouble yet."

Whenever Jackson was asked about the value with the girl's head in it, he said: "I never carried it with anything in it. Walling wanted me to carry it, but I would not do it."

It was empty when he left it in the barber shop, where the police found its.

The outcome of this confession coupled by a dense throng of accusing circumstances, is that three men are involved, Jackson most deeply. Woods a little less deeply and Walling incidentally.

Was a Farmer's Daughter.

WAS A FARMER'S DAUGHTER. Headless Pearl Bryan Was Identified by Her Shoes.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 6.—The young woman whose headless body was found last Saturday morning in a field in the Kentucky Highlands and who was identified yesterday as Pearl Bryan, was the 22-year-old daughter of A. J. Bryan, a prometinent farmer residing about two miles from Greencastic, Ind. Her parents have identified the shoes and the Brook Case. Conf., Soie Property of the control of the con

clothing as hers. Her family said she left home January 28, ostensibly to visit Miss Jane Fisher of Indianapolis, but instead she started for Cincinnati with Scott Jackson, 24, a student in a dental college here. The Bryans gave the detectives other informa-

were given, and then the officers went to South Bend. He was found there and arrested.

In the meantime Chief Deitsch acted promptly, and Scott Jackson was under examination in the Mayor's office all day yesterday. At the end of the inquisition he was committed without bail.

When brought in Jackson was clean, neatly dressed, youthful in appearance. His naturally ruddy face flushed perceptibly under the examination, and his light blue eyes wandered from his questioners in spite of a visible effort to bear up and look them square in the eyes. His voice was reasonably firm, yet if required an effort of the will to keep it in that state. Now and then it faltered slightly, but was immediately braced up. There was at no time any expression of indignation at his arrest. Nor did he exhibit any signs that he felt humiliated by it. This, however, should count for but little, as his arrest and examination came like thunder claps in quick succession. His account of his whereabouts last Friday night was not by any means conclusively convicting. He denied guilt, but admitted that he knew Pearl Bryan. He could tell nothing about where she was or where she had been during the past few weeks.

As to his whereabouts last Friday night, his room mate, Mr. Lamping, was examined first, and alone. He said Jackson was in about 10 o'clock, or thereabouts, on Friday night, That was all he could say, as Jackson could go in and out at all times without his knowledge.

Jackson himself said that on Friday night, That was all he could say, as Jackson himself said that on Friday night. The west story is very vague, hough he said that he was in his room all night.

The worst part of Jackson's story—the weakest part of it—is shat about his conduct on last Saturday. He boarded at 227 West Ninth Street, next to Robinson's his boarding house. This value he carried evening. The theory is that the head of the murdered girl was probably in that value would sure his boarding house. This value he carried with him all over the city that day and evening

THE SECRET OF BEAUTY



SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 6.—Will Wood, son of Rev. D. A. Wood of Greencastle, Ind., was arrested here on the strength of a telegram alleging that he might be an ac-complice in the murder of the young woman

at Fort Thomas, Ky.

Detectives from Cincinnati saw Wood at the Central Police Station this morning. He consented to go to Cincinnati as a witness. It is alleged that Wood put the girl on the train at Green Castle and was the last person in that place seen with her. Wood and the officers left for Cincinnati to-day. Jackson Known in Indianapolis.

Jackson Known in Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 6.—Scott
Jackson, the confessed murderer of Fearl
Bryan of Greencastle, Ind., was once a
resident here and a student at the Indiana
Dental College. Up to last March he received mail at 133 East New York street.
The faculty of the college remember little
about him. Dr. Hunt says that Jackson
left the cellege at the end of the March
term. He has little recollection of his
personal appearance or character.

WERE THEY MURDERED? The Capsized House Boat Beleaged H. R. Hamley of This City.

C. F. W. Dowdall has identified the house-boat "Carrie" that was found capsized Tues-day above Natches, Miss. He says it is the property of Henry R. Hamley, formerly of Hamley & Mitchell, plumbers at 327 North

Hamley & Mitchell, plumbers at 327 North Eleventh street.

Dowdall was formerly a bookkeeper for Hamley. He says the description of the boat found at Natchez tailies with that of the boat, Hamley started with from St. Louis last October. When Hamley started he had two boat, one of which he used as a residence and the other for a store. In the latter he carried a stock of goods worth \$5,000 or \$5,000 in cash.

When they started there were in the party beside Hamley, his wife, his sister-in-law, Sarah Griffith, Philip Goes, Fred Loomis and Bob Miller. Dowdall says whon he heard from Hamley last he was at Helena, Ark, so miles north of Natchez.

Philip Goes is said to have a police record. He held up and bead a man near the foot of Anglerodt street about two years ago. He was sentenced to twelve months in the Workhouse. He escapped, was rearrested, and was serving the remainder of his term out last October. Hamley paid she fine and secured his release from the Workhouse a few days before the trip Bouth was begun.



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GENUINE BOHEMIAN GLASSWARE

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ALSO A SELECT COLLECTION OF

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ELEGANT AND UNIQUE PRESENTS.

Prices Moderate, to Sell Out Quickly.

ROENTGEN PHOTOGRAPHS.

They Can Be Produced by the Aid of Any Static Electrical Instrument.

ecial to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The experiments of Roentgen "X" ray photographs can be produced by the aid of any ordinary static

Roentgen "X" ray photographs can be produced by the aid of any ordinary static electrical instrument and are thus within the reach of aimost every physician.

Prof. Pupin arrived at this conclusion yesterday after several experiments with currents decreasing in activity until he reached the point which is about the standard of she statical instruments and obtained just as good results from it as from the most powerful current. Another important discovery which brings this new and mysterious science still closer to the mass of experimenters is the fact that the expensive Cfooke's tubes which were believed to be indispensable in producing the desired results, may be dispensed with and a cheaper and stronger vacuum tube used in its stead.

Prof. Pupin has seemingly established the peculiar fact that the light could be produced by using tubes having no electrodes, which would argue that the rays are not necessarily produced by the anode or cathode electrode employed in the Crooke tubes. He made a very good picture of some trinkets, using a simple, sealed, glass tube, and securing the desired fluorescence by applying the electricity through tin foil. The foil was wrapped once around either end of the table, and the wires conveying the current were wrapped about the foil. The same result was secured as if the electricity had been introduced within the tube by wires attached to electricity inside, as in all former experiments. This was a puzzler for the investigators.

One of the several peculiarities of the new

One of the several peculiarities of the new form of light is that it does not reflect from a looking glass or from any other polished surface so far as is known. An effort will be made to discover some metal or other substance that will reflect it, so that the rays may be condensed and their power thereby multiplied.

Reproducing Colors.

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BERLIN, Feb. 6.—Prof. Seile of Brandenburg claims to have solved the problem of photography in colors. His process is as rapid as ordinary photography, and while it requires a special camera the reproductions as to color are said by those who have examined the specimens to be almost absolutely perfect. His secret he still keeps, but says he uses three gelatine films, the first of which receives red tints, the second blue, and the third yellow tints.

You Can't Go Amiss With a Book Like This.

Not in the history of books has there been offered so valuable a manual of religious fact, statistical feature, historic information and practical directions for the office, home and farm as the Post-Dispatch Almanac for 1896. It is thoroughly abreast of the times: an up-to-date manual for everybody. One thousand different topics treated in a clear and concise style. library, desk, schoolroom or household should be without it. Price, 25 cents.

LOOKING FOR R. J. MOORE. Secretary of the Centralia (Ill.) Building Association Disappears.

Centralia, Ill. For three years he had been secretary of the Centralia Building and Loan Association. Several weeks ago Moore tendered his

resignation to take effect February I. On January 28 he left Centralia, saying he would return. He has not since been heard from. The association's safe was opened by machinists and a superficial examination of the books and papers showed them to be all right.

Moore was to have been married soon and his friends can account for his disappearance only on the theory that he met with four play.

Home Decoration.

, Every St. Louis home should be beautified with some of the lovely vases, bric-a-brac, lamps, onyx tables, etc., now being sold at es by the very low prices by the MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.,

Doubleday Monument.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The survivors of the First Army Association have erected a monument to their old and beloved commander, Gen. Abner Doubleday at Arlington. It is located on the main driveway in the vicinity of the amphitheater where memorial services are held on Decoration Day. The monument, which has been just completed, is a trifle smaller than the Sheridan monument after whose general style it was patterned. It is plain and massive, like the man whose career is commemorates, of polished granite, about ten feet in height with a rough base.

The Wabash Is the Short Line To Kansas City and Omaha.

SBDALIA'S BIG.BOND.

Nearly a Million Raised Toward the Capital Removal Scheme.

moved the obstacles placed in the way of Prof. Michael I. Pupin of Columbia Col-lege have resulted in the discovery that the ferson City, the citizens of Sedalla have re-

At the time the Legislature passed the removal bill Sedalia guaranteed to replace At the time the Legislature passed the removal bill Sedalla guaranteed to replace the State buildings without one cent of cost to the State and to file a bond covering the entire cost of removal. The bond is now ready. It is for \$725,000 and is signed by between 300 and 400 property owners in the prospective capital. The aggregate holdings of the signers is upwards of \$3,000,000. Among the signers are Hiram Liggett of Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., this city, and Col. Ed Butler. The latter bought considerable land at Sedalla just before the removal bill passed the Legislature and is supposed to have had a hand in the removal scheme. The gas and electric light companies, representing \$50,000 each, signed the bond through their Presidents.

B. F. Hammett, of this city, secured the bond. Am effort was at first made to give bond through the Farmers Loan and Trust Co. of New York, but such security was demanded that the negotiations were abandoned and the scheme of making the citizens their own bondsmen was decided upon. There was no great difficulty in raising the necessary amount in this way.

It will give Sedalia a hard pull to raise the money necessary to build the new State House and other State buildings if the people vote in favor of the removal, but the citizens take a cheerful view of the situation. Land values have already greatly increased.

Despondent Farmer Takes Poison.

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Special to The Post-Dispatch.

OTTERSVILLE, Mo., Feb. 6.—About 3 o'clock yesterday morning James Fry, a prominent farmer and stockman, living four miles north of this place, walked into the room where his family were and announced to them that he had taken a dose of rough on rats, and intended to die. Medical help was sent for, but to no purpose. He lingered until 5 o'clock yesterday evening, when he died. He was about 45 years of age, and leaves a wife and five children. Temporary insanity is the only cause that can be assigned.

"BOB AND ALF,"

The Distinguished Tennessee Taylors Who ran against each other for Governor, will appear at Music Hall, Monday night, in what is said to be their masterplece of fun, "The Shovel and the Hoe and the Fiddle and the Bow," The New York Herald says the recent songs of Gov. Bob were the best things in the way of negro melodies ever heard in that city. The press everywhere teems with eulogies of their entertainments, and no doubt a rare treat is in store for St. Louis people.

James H. Rice.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.—James H. Bice, Pres dent of the James H. Rice Co., one of the larges ident of the James H. Rice Co., one of the largest manufacturing and exporting concerns in the plate glass industry in America, died in this city of Bright's disease this morning.

Mrs. Rice, his wife, died on Tuesday, and the two will be buried together, probably to-morrow.

Mr. Rice's death had been expected for some days and the unexpected passing away of his wife hastened the end.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice will be interred in Oakwoods Cometery. All definite arrangements will be postponed until the arrival of a sister from San Antonio, Tex.

resignation to take effect February 1. On of American Cut Glass which are now exclusively controlled by the Mermod & Jac-card Jewelry Co., Broadway, cor. Locust, is very manifest to the most casual ob-server, and one purchasing an elegant gift clousness that it is of unquestioned super

Killed Himself in a Closet.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—John Shea, a first-class clerk in the Record and Pension Division of the War Department and a veteran of the late war, committed suicide in a closet at the department this morning by shooting himself in the head, dying almost instantly. He evidently was unbalanced mentally from a wound inflicted during the war.

The Wabash Is the Fast Line To Chicago.

Marriages of Slaves.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—The Sureme Court has legalized the marriages of
slaves in deciding the case of Franklin Jenslaves in deciding the case of the involved
the legality of slave marriage.

Owl Car Time Table.

Call at Post-Dispatch office and get ime-table of the owl cars on every str car line in the city; in conven

Remnant Sale To-Morrow, Friday.

Don't Miss Our Bankrupt Sale of Rubber Goods from Peters Rubber Co. at 40 Cents on the Dollar.

Men's Rubber Coats.

Bankrupt stock of the eters Rubber and Supply mpany. Cheap! Cheap ap! Coachmen, motorstreet car men, pos

\$1.00 \$1.50

Sest Dull Drill Black Rubber coachmen, truckmen, etc.; Peters' price \$4.25; our price... \$2.00

\$2.00 cape; cape;

Gentlemen's Dull Black Rubber Serge Coats, with cape, Peters' price \$6.00; our price..... \$2.50
Heavy Black Dull Rubber Coats, for truck drivers, street car men, coachmen, delivery wagon drivers, etc.;
Peters' price \$6.00; our price..... \$2.75
Folicemen's



Gentlemen's Fine Rubber Coats, plaid lined and velvet collar; Peters' price \$6.00; Our Price\$2.00

Men's Fine Light Weight Gossamer Rubber Coats, guaranteed water-proof and well worth \$1.50, our

Men's Mackintosh Coats. | Hunters' and Drivers'

for your friend, the

Boys' Mackintoshes

Boys' Dull Black Rub-ber Coats, Peters' price \$3.25; \$1.50

Rubber Door Mats. Entire stock of the

styles, round and square; Peters' prices were from \$2 to \$3;

The bankrupt stock of the Peters Rubbe and Supply Co. goes in this sale for a old song.



\$5.00

Two Styles Fine got \$20.00 for; Our price.....

Boys' Rubber Coats, worth \$2.00 \$1.00 to \$2.50, at....\$1.00

Boys' Wine Color Rub-ber Coats, with Vel-vet collar, plaid lined; Peters' price \$3.00; our price.

Peters Rubber and Supply Co., various

Leather and Duck Jackets

\$1.50 \$2.00

Dress Shields.

thina Silk Dress Shields, black or white Peters' prices 20c and 25c pair; Our Prices 8¢, 10¢, 12¢, 14¢ Pai

Rubber Horse Clothing.

Enameled Rubber Horse 12.55 wholesale, go at..... \$1.50 Covers, worth

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Men's Socks.

Friday Bargains.

Children's Jersey Cashmere Gle in navy blue, cardinal, red a our regular 23c quality, to clos on Friday, at.....

Hosiery.

adles' Hose.

Men's and Boys' Gloves.



Ladies' Colored Skirts.



Boys' Hats and Caps.

Ladies' and Children's Knit Underwear.

Men's and Boys Underwear.

Boys' Full Fashioned Heavy Merino and Drawers, regular price \$1.50; Friday price.....

Men's Night Shirts.

Men's Flannel Shirts.

Priday Bargains. 35¢ Men's Fine Flannel Shirts, in fancy colors; regular price \$1.50; Friday price......

Great Sale of Peters' Rubber Gloves.

75¢ \$1.50

KILLED BY A BURGLAR.

Watchman Smith Detected Him Break ing Into a Store.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 6.-Wendell mith, watchman and ex-policeman, was thot and killed last night by a burgis whom he detected in the act of breaking into a grocery store. The murderer es-

HUSBAND'S DEADLY GUN.

Interrupted the Caresses of His Wife and Her Admirer. WALDO, Fla, Feb. 6.-J. P. Cole fired a load of buckshot into E. L. Melvin Tuesday just as the latter met Coleman's wife, and began to caress her. Melvin died instantly. Coleman, who had suspected his wife, learned that she had made an appointment to meet Melvin at a vacant cabin near here, and he left home with his gun, saying he was going to visit his brother. Instead he hid himself in the cabin and awaited the coming of the guilty couple. fired a load of buckshot into E. L. Melvin

couple.

After killing Melvin Coleman reproached
his wife and fied. She remained with the
corpse all night and followed it to the grave. How One Advertisement Worked.

Broadway and Morgan street was black with people Thursday morning. They lined the sidewalks out to the curbing and surged against the big doors of Famous. Dump sale No. 2 was announced for 9 o'clock and when the doors were thrown open at that our an army of bargain hunters rushed n. The crowd was a testimonial to the efficacy of the Post-Dispatch advertising olumns. The sale was announced Wednesday to the extent of a page in the Post-Dispatch and Thursday's crowd of buyers

was the result. Famous was not disappointed in the investment and the public was not deceived by the advertisement. The Dump Sale is o get rid of the present stock and will be continued until the shelves of Famous are leared to receive new spring stock.

Prices have not only been cut in two, bu slashed away below cost. In the men's siasned away below cost. In the men-clothing department, any suit, overcoat o-ulster can be had for the magic figure o-\$11.86. The same reduction extends throug-the ladies' cloak and millinery departments the men's furnishing department, the chin and queensware stock and the shoe depart

The sale goes on from day to day and there will be no let up until the shelves ar

WASHINGTON, D. C., Fub. 6.—In response to a resolution of inquiry the Secretary of War has sent to the Senate attacement of the amount of money which could be used advantageously in coast defenses. He says that 25,678,880 could be so used by the department prior to July 1, 1897, of which amount \$4,722,000 should be made available during the present seed for July 1, 1897, of which amount \$4,722,000 should be made available during the present seed for July 1, 1897, of the total amount be recommende that 21,007,000 be designated for fortifications, \$1,000,000 for sites 12,000,000 for submarine designations.

INSURERS CRY FRAUD. Say a Healthy Man Took Out Policies for a Dying One.

for a Dying One.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The case of Mrs. Annie Smith against the Prudential, New York Life, Metropolitan and John Hancock Insurance companies for 4.750 insurance on the life of her husband, Peter, went to trial in the Supreme Court yesterday and developed an instance of alleged fraud.

In his statement to the fury William O. Campbell, attorney for the Prudential company, said:

"We claim that there was a substitution; that while Peter Smith was at home suffering from consumption another man was taking out policies of insurance in his name."

The dead man, Mr. Campbell said, who was not the insured, was a weak consumptive, with jet-black hair, while the Peter Smith examined by the medical experts in his and other insurance companies, and subsequently insured, was a strong man, with red hair, good lungs and a chest measurement of forty-two inches.

THE KITTEN STILL LIVES.

THE KITTEN STILL LIVES. Swallowing a Six-Inch Hat Pin Did

Not Hurt It Much.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

CARTHAGE, Mo., Feb. 6.—A half-grown white kitten is a favorite pet in the family of Dr. Flower. It has always been remarkably playful and enjoys playing in Mrs. Flower's work-basket. A week ago last Sunday the kitten was playing in the basket which contained a long halpin, with a large round head, and shortly afterwards pussy was taken very sick. Mrs. Flower noticed something hard in its throat and Sunday finally induced Dr. Flower to see what he could do to relieve her pet. The doctor chloroformed it and cut open its throat. The sharp end of the hatpin was found and with considerable effort the pin was sulled out. It was six and one quarter inches long and had been swallowed head first by the cat, but how it managed to get it down and to survive for seven days is a mystery. The pin was so long that it extended almost the whole length of tabby's body. The kitten is now recovering. Not Hurt It Much.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for

Nevada's Light Question NEVAGA'S Light Question.
NEVADA, Mo., Feb. 6-Last night thicity was in darkness on account of a disagreement between the City Council and the lectric light company. The account has been running for three years, and the company claims a balance of \$3,611.4 for streetights. The Council refused to pay the impount or compromise it in a manner satisfactory to the company, and the light were shut out pending a settlement, but will be brought for the full amount of the bill.

OPEN FEB. 20, 1896.

OUTPUT OF FLOUR. Much Larger in the Northwest Than It Was This Time Last Year,

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 6.-The Northwestern Miller gives the following summary of the week's milling news: The flour output (bbis) last week with

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\$700 AN INCH. Value of Land on the West Side of Fifth Avenue, New York. pecial to The Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The most valual

BUSHING THE SEASON. Honest Oysterman of Long Island Sees a Sea Serpent.

tle more than two feet through at the big-gest part. If he had been swallowed by it, the diameter might have been increased.

WANT CLEANER STREETS. Business Men's League Takes Action meeting of the Bus

Burial Permita

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.-Harry E. Sargen At the meeting of the Business Men's League Wednesday afternoon the question of clean streets and the importance of an improvement in the condition of the public thoroughfares prior to the meeting of the Republican National Convention in June was discussed.

A resolution was adopted to the effect that the business interests of the city demand cleaner streets. The Legislative Committee was instructed to appear before the the exclusive use of a "star" in travelli His extravagance astounded the theatri profession, and his enterprise met w

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BROUGHT OUT MODJESK

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Entitled to the Fullest Confidence.

From a letter to Chas. H. Jones, Editor and Manager.

It is the opinion of your Committee after as careful and thorough an examination as has ever been given to any newspaper, that the Post-Dispatch is entitled to the fullest confidence of the community, and so far as we can learn, no misstatement or over statements have been made in regard to circulation or advertising patronage, and that the entire manner in which the business end of the paper is conducted is highly creditable to yourself and your associates.

LON V. STEPHENS, State Treasurer of Mis ISAAC H. STURGEON.

Comptroller of the City of St. Louis, Mo. R. M. SCRUGGS. Pres't Soruggs, Vandervoort & Barney Dry Goods Co.

B. HILLMAN, of Siegel, Hillman & Co.

> ALFRED B. ROSB. Pres't of the H.-O. Co., Advertising Manager Scott & B.

AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—"The Span of Life,"
OLYMPIC—Mrs. Potter and Mr. Bellew. HAVLIN'S-"The Struggle of Life." STANDARD-Rentz-Santley Co.

MATINEES TO-MORROW. STANDARD-Rentz-Stantley Co.

THE WORK WILL TELL

Protestations of the honest intentions of the new combine in control of the House of Delegates will not go far with the people, who judge the House by its blance of a defense for that monstrous If the combine has been formed for an

honest effort to do the work of the tration are swept into the trash heap by and protect their interests. Kill e jobs on hand, squelch the franhise grabs, take street improvement bills in hand and act on them regardless of the will of contractors. Drive the boodle lobby out of the House. If the committees are to be reorganized for honest work let them show it by refusing to be run by the looters and lobbyists who have been running them.

The majority of the House can prov its honesty in one day's work. One vigorous act will be worth a volume of reform

AMERICA CLOSED TO SLUGGERS.

The House of Representatives did a good piece of work when it promptly passed the bill introduced by Delegate Catron of New Mexico prohibiting prizefighting in the Territories and the District of Columbia.

The adoption of anti-prize-fighting laws all the States makes it incumbent upon Congress to close the Territories to thugs. Public opinion demands it and the dignity of the United States requires that they support in the Territories the standard of law and order en forced in the States. The Senate should depart from its usual dilatory practice in this matter and emulate the House in order that the disgraceful exhibitions pow being arranged at El Paso shall not

held on the soil of the United States. The force of example and public opinion in one country on the conduct of another is shown by the attitude of Mexico on the subject of prize-fighting. The Mexican authorities have forbidden prizefighting on Mexican soil and have taken steps to prevent it solely because the

ple of the United States have conined it. With the enactment of the ongressional law with regard to the Territories the brutality of the prize ring will be banished from the soil of North

KISS DAMAGES.

All human society is more or less interested in the decision of the Court of Ap peals sustaining the verdict of the jury which awarded Mrs. Sarah M. Piero \$2,500 damages for the kisses taken by force and arms from her lips by A. B.

Carpenter. In the appeal to the higher court the efendant pleaded that merely nominal damages should have been awarded, that was no ground for exemplary damages, but the Appellate Court defiles the plea and sustains the verdict for the full amount awarded. The learned Judges da not enter into a discussion of the

kisses and to damages if the sweetness is extracted from her kisser without her consent. Of course the value of kisses is a variable quantity ranging in accordance with the relative feelings of the kisser and kissed from worse than nothing to sums of indefinite magnitude. In view of this decision a man must take the opinion of poets about the joy of stolen kisses with a grain of salt. Poets are proverbially ignorant of the law, and he should consider the legal aspect of the stolen kiss question when he is tempted. He must remember that a man who "holds up" a pair of lips takes serious monetary risks. akes serious monetary risks.

ST. LOUIS IS MODEST.

Under the caption of "The Rage for creatness" the New York World publishes an editorial article making sport of the alleged eagerness of all the principal cities to annex surrounding territory except that of New York. Concerning

St. Louis the World remarks: But how are we to regard St. Louis, beautiful vestal metropolis, sunning her-self on the Father of Muds. so long, but now running like a wanton pumpkin vine with insuitate suburban appetite over all the unoccupied adjacencies of an aston-ished State?

This paragraph was penned by a writ er whose stock of words far exceeded his stock of information about St. Louis. The World's staff embraces severa writers who could have set him right on the subject had his "copy" been sub-

mitted to them.

The boundaries of St. Louis have not been increased since 1870 and there is no agitation of the question of increasing them. The city's area is 61.36 square miles, less than one-third of Chicago's than one-half of Philadelphia's, less than New York's, less than Brooklyn's a few miles about five greater than that of Minneapolis or St. Paul.

It is true that the growth of population of St. Louis has been so rapid that it shows a tendency to run "over all the un occupied adjacencies of an astonished State."

There are many settlements beyond its borders which properly belong to the city, but St. Louisans are not grasping. They are modestly content with greatness that rightfully belongs to them

THE BOND SALE.

In public speeches and in the newspapers the resources of invective have been exhausted in denouncing the infamous transaction of Feb. 8, 1895, by which upwards of \$62,000,000 of bonds, worth in the open market 119, were sold to the Pierpont Morgan syndicate for a little less than 1041/4—a transaction from which the syndicate is known to have reaped a profit of at least \$11,000,000. But more damning than any language of condem nation that could be used in characteriz ing this transaction are the published

figures of the bond bids opened at Washington yesterday.

There were 4,640 of these bids and the amount of bonds bid for reached the enormous aggregate of \$558,269,050. These figures prove, what has been so often as serted, that the secret contract made with the syndicate in February, 1895, was an unnecessary as well as a shameful sacrifice of the people's interests, and s cowardly surrender of the United States Treasury to the looting shylocks of Wall and Lombard streets. They leave the Administration without even the semtransaction with the syndicate. All the excuses that have been put forth by the at purpose of reform let it be proved defenders and apologists of the Adminis- sad Sedalia.

the tremendous success of the popular

loan. The Administration's shameful record in the matter of these bond issues would not be complete without recalling the fact that nothing but public opinion, aroused by a few courageous newspapers, prevented this last issue of bonds from being sold to the Pierpont Morgan syndicate on another secret contract and on practically the same terms as the loan of ast year. Six weeks ago, after a trip to Washington, during which he saw Secretaries Carlisle and Lamont, if not the President, Pierpont Morgan publicly announced in New York the forming of an other syndicate to take \$100,000,000 worth of a new issue of bonds at 104%. His an-nouncement has since been met with charges and countercharges of falsehood and bad faith, but no one who has watched developments closely doubts that Mr. Morgan was led to believe that his new syndicate would get the new bonds on about the terms proposed, namely, 104%, or about \$8,000,000 less than the Treasury will realize from yester-

day's bids. It must also be borne in mind that the amount that will actually be realized, namely, \$112,000,000 for \$100,000,000 worth of bonds, is at least \$4,000,000 less than could have been realized if the bonds had been offered to the people on a really popular basis. The enormous amount of yesterday's bids demonstrates beyon question that if Secretary Carli offered the bonds at an upset price of 116, first come first served, the whole amount

would have been taken at that price. facts into an event which justifies great rejoicing and which will prove of inestimable benefit to the business interest of the country. The fact that in spite of all the devices of the shylocks for depressing business in order to defeat the popular loan, the issue of \$100,000,000 has en subscribed for nearly six times over the limit fixed by the financiers a month ago, dispels the monetary nightmare from which the country has been suffering for two years past, and will deprive "raids on

the Treasury reserve" of all their terrors.

A better thing for the country's honor, a more fortunate thing for the country's

The Kentucky sports who watched a ground-hog's hole all day on Feb. 2 and found that he did not come out are now told by a learned pharmacist that the sub-lith of the month is the real ground-hog the day. By keeping watch again the aports

The Kentucky free silver Democrats are about to start a daily newspaper in Louisville, to be edited by Daniel E. O'Sullivan, one of the ablest and brightest journalists south of the Ohio. Evidently the recent election has aroused the silver element in Kentucky as it ought to have been aroused before the Democratic defeat.

It grieves the New York Herald t know that the friends of silver propose to assert themselves with all their force in both the great parties. It is absolutely sertain that the "silver craze" has not only not died out, but is getting a stronger hold than ever.

There should be a stir to improve ne streets as well as to clean old ones. The amount of mud constantly carried from unimproyed streets to finished ones ren-ders many of the latter thoroughfares Chicago should take care not to send

Aldrich back to Congress. The Congress man who thinks an upper Pullman berti is worth as much as a lower one is wrong in his mind. Possibly a Pullman pass has disordered his intellect.

If the bond bids were opened before the time announced, in order that Pier-pont Morgan might shape his bid, the country will be more anxious than eve to bid farewell to John G. Carlisle, The ex-President must not feel hurt

devious that the masses have grown skeptical and cynical. Placing Col. Morrison or any other single standard man on a Democratic

platform would be optimism so excessive that the party would never recover The public has no objection to Pierpe Morgan's \$5,000 dogs, but it wonders why they don't bark at him when they see

him going into so many wicked com It is not by intuition that the people of St. Louis know that the Post-Dispatch is the best newspaper. They read it and make it necessary to the advertise

The New York undertaker who is to give a dinner to the doctors and coroners is a cheerful person. When he him self lies there will be a jolly funeral. The Secretary of the Treasury appears

in a morning journal as James G. Car lisle. Has the Secretary changed his name as well as his political opinions? The Duke of Marlborough is buying London property, and if his American

father-in-law will stand by him he may succeed in real estate. Certainly if Government officials ar entitled to flowers, American farmers are entitled to seeds. Mr. Vest makes no

mistake there. The people of Missouri must now decide whether is shall be joyful Jefferson or joyless Jefferson, sportive Sedalia or

Judge Murphy's knowledge of physic omy would have delighted Gall and

Spurzhelm. Col. Morrison should be careful not give Ben Cable too much rope.

The James Monroe Seibert doctrine oes not go in Missouri.

Even in gay Paris the sky was overcas

on ground-hog day. There will be sighs for Selbert.

Unjust Claims Against Cities,

From the Clinton (Mo.) Democrat. It is not too early for the cities of Mis souri to begin agitating the repeal of laws under which our incorporated cities are plucked by rapacious claimants because of alleged personal injuries from defective rendered against and collected from cities of the third class could be enumerated, and to this could be added the expenses of litigation and of compromised cases, the people would begin to see how the revenue wrung from city property owners by taxation is largely diverted from municipal uses to satisfy all sorts of subjust claimants.

Chicago No Convention Town.

From the Chicago Record. July weather, a large delegation of g tlemen from Georgia and Kentucky and no saloon within a mile of the Colis What specter of torment and trouble is this ms up athwart the future?

The Youtliful McKinley. From the Chicago Tribune. Speaker Reed. That fact will be some con-solation to him if Mr. Reed should be an

ident first. Offices That Go Begging.

State of Illinois had to be filled by a draft. They were all made vacant by death or resignation, and the department could not get people to accept them because the com-pensation was so meager and the trouble of pensation was so meager and the trouble of making reports and returns was so great. Finally Assistant Postmaster-General Jones furnished Benator Palmer with a list of these offices, and he undertook to fill them by personal correspondence with people living in the neighborhood. In one case the patrons of an office which paid 130 a year subscribed 130 more in order to induce one of their own number to take charge of the mails.

husband.



Bradley D. Lee,

Mayor Bradley D. Lee, was born March 24, 1838, in Litchfield, Coun. He was educated at the public schools of that town and at Williston Seminary, East Hampton, Mass. Later he began the study of law in Litchfield, Conn., but discontinued it to enter the army, where he was rapidly promoted to the rank of March Affar the moted to the rank of Major. After the way he entered Yale, studied law and graduated in 1866. He then came to St. Louis and began the practice of his profession that has since brought him prominence and wealth.

MEN OF MARK.

The Czar of Russia calls his baby girl by diminutive that translated means "Little

There is only one officer in the Pr army who has been raised from the ranks. This is Col. Lademann, who was promoted for acts of bravery in the Bohleswig-Hol-

Melville E Ingalls, railroad man and The ex-President must not feel hurt if financier, used to be a country school teachgood many people believe him to be a sincere. The ways of politicians are so evious that the manufacture of politicians are so factors in his husting.

Raphael Joseffy, planist, is of st nervous, excitable disposition that on the day of a performance absolute seclusion is necessary to an effective performance at night, and consequently no one is permit-ted to speak to him.

Speaker Reed is the victim of a crank nications to him on postal cards. The crank begins on one card and continues his writ-ing on others until a single letter sometimes covers a dozen cards, which he mails sepa-rately.

President Krueger of the South African Republic lost the thumb of his left hand while he was a boy. He was out hunting, when his gun burst and shattered the thumb. He calmly took out his jack-knife at the joint, after which he tied his hand up as best he could and went home.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Lady Salisbury by much exercised at present over the wrongs of the lesser lights in the theatrical world. A woman working in a factory at Cold

Mich., for 75 cents a day, last week fell heir to a fortune of \$52,000 through the death of an uncle in Germany. In Limington, Me., there is the most aged knitter in the United States. She is Mrs. Annie Merifield, and at the age of 9 she is busily engaged in knitting socks for

Mrs. Gladstone has never thought enough -so her friends lament-of dress. She is wholly absorbed in caring for her husband's health, a subject on which he is not, at all points, sufficiently solicitous himself.

The Crown Princess of Denmark is the est and the richest royal lady in Europ Harrison's withdrawal is said to "suit McKinley." It would suit McKinley if father, Prince Frederick of the Netherall the other fellows were to withdraw lands, besides a large fortune from her father, Charles XV. of Norway and height.

Miss Mary Lord Drake, daughter of th new Governor of Iowa, now by virtue of the Governor's widowerhood the first lady in that State, is a blonde of medium height, with large, expressive blue eyes and a face indicating intellect, refinement and strength of character. She is her father's secretary and confidential adviser, as well as his cial representative.

DRY AND DROLL

"Blykins has his own way in his house "Yes; but his wife always tells him what it going to be beforehand."-Washington

Mrs. Manhattan: What objection have you to marrying Mr. Severance? Mrs. Lake-side: A very serious one. He's paying big altmony already.-Truth.

Jones: Smith is in business for himself, isn't he? Brown: For himself? Well, I should say he is in business for the benefit of an extravagant family.—Brooklyn Life.

"For the life of me," said the young man,
"I don't see why a woman was not born
with the same capacity for swallowing excuses that she has for ice-cream!"-Indian apolis Journal.

The Evil of Restricted License,-Old Party (sadly): My poor man, why do I always find you hanging around this saloon? Biblious Bill: I can't help meself, mister. It's the only one in town.—Puck.

She Was Warm .- "Darling," said Mr. M Bhe was warm.— Daring.

Bride, solicitously, "I am afraid you are not dressed warmly enough." "Do I look stylish, dear?" asked his wife. "Yes; parfectly stunning." "Then I am very comfortable, thank you."-Life.

The Buckeye Snickersnee.

From the Chicago Tribune.

It now looks as if Maj. McKinley woul
go into the St. Louis convention with the
solid Ohlo delegation at his back with
large, keen, capable knife.

A Startling Assur From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

It would perhaps be well to modify toplofty talk about "the silver crase."

It is rather startling to assume that my an half of the

affected by college men. "I want no man around me that parts his hair in the mid-ile. Good morning." And the Governor valked away, leaving a very indignant fel-ter standing bareheaded on the street.

Give the People a Chance.

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From the Plattsburg (Mo.) Leader.

If the Chicago convention adopts a thorough silver platform, and nominates a good man, whose record is in accord with it, there is a strong probability that the Populist and bimetallic conventions at St. Louis, on July 22, will ratify this action. What a splendid condition the country would then be placed in! It goes without saying that the Republicans will adopt a gold standard, or evasive platform. We would thus have the great issue presented to the voters of the country, and they would record one of the srandest triumphs of modern times. Give the people a chance to vote their sentiments and there can be no doubt about the result. Tens of thousands of Republicans would vote the combination ticket, and the country could once more start on a lasting country could once more start on a lastingers of prosperity.

A Hopeless Cause

From the Springfield (Mo.) Leader-Democrat.
It is too early to guess that the gold standard men will not come out in some silver men that while two or three distric are pretty apt to elect men in sympathy with on top of which may also be the unit rule. Viewed from this standpoint, it is possible that the gold men will make no fight, as they at last have been brought to a realization of the utter hopelessness of their caus Missouri.

Tillman Delighted.

From the Chicago Times-Herald. Tillman is delighted with the co upon his speech made in the northern newspapers. He has given his secretary orders to collect them in a scrap-book. Every of joy to Tillman's face, especially if it Carolina statesman would say, "from the subsidized press of the centers of wealth and boodle." The sharpest of these criticisms Tillman sends to South Carolina to be reproduced by his organs.

Want to Be Let Alone

From the Plattsburg (Mo.) Leader. If Dave Francis can be worked into the Chicago Convention as a delegate from a St. Louis district, all his influence, power and money will be used for a compron platform on the silver question. This is all that the most ardent goldbug can desire. Free silver coinage is stopped by law, and by the conduct of our treasury department we are on the single gold basis. There we silver as standard money—money of re-demption, the same as gold, and this can only be brought about by compulsory law requiring it. To be let alone is all the robber goldbugs want. Let the present system be continued and they are satisfied, for they can riot at pleasure on the wealth of the ountry until they have it all in their vaults,

Everybody Will Be Pleased.

From the Kansas City Star. It is rather curious that McKinley, who promises to show up stronger on the first ballot than any of his competitors, is the man of all others that the Democrate were permitted to have a voice in the selection of the candidate.

A Trick or Two. From the Springfield (Mo.) Leader-Der

The gold standard men will make no fight at the Democratic meeting at Sedalia, but they are not above sneaking in a trick or two if the occasion offers a chance.

All Are Made Happy.

From the Chicago Times-Herald. A consensus of the latest expert of of the probable effect of Gen. Harrison's letter as gleaned from the interviews with many prominent politicians is to the effect that it will help the booms of Messrs. Mo-

A SOCIETY NOTE.



There's joy, my dear, in the





nade of open work velvet in brown, showing inderneath a fabric of glistening gold. The wide revers of the coat, which were fastened back by a button, were of the same gold material, but they were velled with

Good Potato Pie Make a crust, as for chicken or steak ple; line a deep pie tin or sh basin with it, then fill with freshly or potatoes, mashed and samoned to with salt, pepper, butter and cream; this sprinkle a little summer savory, i like the flavor; cover with crust and in a quick oven until crusts are done.

To Prevent Cold Feet.

Plunge the feet into cold water, briskly and quickly, put on your stock and shoes, is a formula which, if follo will insure you against cold extrem when you go out. Angelica.

Angelica makes an effective decoration for a cold dessert. A piece costing 20 cents will go a long way. It may be cut into thin strips and then into triangular pieces and used to simulate leaves. Candied cherries and angelica make an exceptionally pretty decoration. Salad of Celery and Walnuts. A salad of celery and English walnuts delicious to serve with a little dinner. Of the celery into small pieces and mix wit one-third of the quantity of English wout meats broken in two and enough monaise to moisten it well. Garnish wyoung, tender lettuce leaves and serve.

Orange Flavoring. To make a good orange flavoring take the skins of the oranges and boil one pound of them until perfectly tender. Chop them fine and to one gill of the water in which the skins have been boiled add one pound of brown sugar and the skins. Boil all together until very thick and then put into a glass jar, to keep until ready for use.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

(The Post-Dispatch does not hold itself res ble for any opinions or statement of facts in these letters. It is a free parliament.) Poor School Book Policy.

Editor of The Post-Dispatch.

Some time ago a change in arithm

Not having the opportunity to obtain an education at school, I have done all in my power to obtain one at home, which, however, I failed to do.

The arithmetic I had to study, however, had a rule for everything and all answers were correct. In the new arithmetic there are very few rules and many of the answers are incorrect. I remonstrated with are very few rules and many of the an-awers are incorrect. I remonstrated with my principal against changing from a good to a worthless book, but he told me the School Beard had made a five-year contract with the publishers, and the best thing we could do would be to "take our medicine" and say nothing. When asked why the board had made the change he said it was to "down the trust"

the Editor of The Post-the remarks of Four your issue of last who quite recently iffed with a Republican riffed with a Republican riffered to Hon. Chas. F. Joy dered to Hon. Chas. F. Joy dere Congressional District, of Democrata to inspire confidence of Democrata to inspire confidence of Democrata back to power. Let bring the party back to power. Let so-called leaders who have time and so-called leaders who have time and so-called leaders. to the rear rank. Just as long such leaders we can expect defend the leaders we can expect defend the leaders with the leader

For the Corpulent One When you are dieting to reduce you must eat stale bread and gir potatoes, rice, beets, corn, peas, milk, cream, all sweets, cocas—indeed thing which even suggests sugar or tory toast without butter, fea without milk or sugar, rare meat with no far as far as possible, no vegetables should form your diet. Take all the diet of the you can in the way of walkit twice a week to a Russian bath possible) and invariably go to bed the Anybody brave enough to live up to laws will certainly lose fiesh.

Changes in Bread.

It is well to remember that plain pasts may be improved to the flaky level of purpasts if it is rolled thin, folded and purpasts in the refrigerator over night.

In cleaning enameled saucepans was inside and out with hot water and soda Then scour with a mixture of sait and fine sand, two parts sand to one of sait Rinse with hot water and dry.

THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE. Please publish a remedy for rheumatism.

water every three hours. Will you please give a good remedy for coated tongue? Also a tonic for a general all-tired-out feeling. Occasionally I am troubled with confusion of ideas. I am a school teacher by profession. My wife in troubled with what I think is intestinal in-

1. Take a five-grain blue pill at bedtime and a good dose of salts before breakfast the next morning. 2. Get some compound syrup of hypophosphites with quinine and strychnine and take one teaspoonful before each meal. 3. Tablets of pepsin and pancreatine may be used with benefit; each tablet should consist of two grains of the former and three grains of the latter. The dose is one tablet after each meal.

signs become dull a rain would renew

I believe the Board of Public Improvements are desirous of obtaining a sign that will last and give the best satisfaction, hence I make this suggestion for their consideration. I am in no manner connected with any enameling establishment, having only the best interests of the city in view. I am very respectfully yours.

St. Louis, Jan. 31.

Washington's Birthday. To the Editor of The Post-Diapatch.
Washington's birthday is approand I think, as do many others, it should be celebrated in a fitting style to the honored "Father of Our Count ("God left him childless that he mis Father to his country"). Is the patriotism grown cold in the heat

The Crisis Is Upon Us.

Editor of The Post-Disp

house of his fri he presented w the light of his the future mocrasic Convention models to er its 1921 deformity? Is he to it meekly and say "Cleveland, my k meekly and the people's it

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Priday for.

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ATHLETICS AT

President Eliott's Report to the Harvard Overseers.

WITHIN HEALTHY LIMITS

Physical Safety of Players the Main Object of Recent University Rules -Sporting News.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. Feb. 6.—President Ellott's annual report to the overseers of Harvard University, given out last night, was devoid of sensational features in regard to athletics, which have marked his reports for the past two years. Instead of condemning any of the existing sports and offering radioal suggestions for their reform, President Ellott's treatment of athletics this year rather gives the impression that the competitive games as the sion that the competitive games as the sion that the competitive games as the sion that the competitive games as the vision and the competitive games as the vision and the competitive games as the vision and the competitive games as the vision that the competitive games as the vision and the competitive games as the vision that the vision that the competitive games as the vision that the vision that the competitive games as the vision that lege work; (3) To reduce the number of contests and to prevent contests in Cambridge from interfering with the work of the college; (4) To preserve the college character of the contests themselves and of the training therefor; (5) To exclude all players who are not genuine students and amateurs; (6) To procure a proper use of the money derived from the sports."

WILL IT COME OFF?

Congress Takes a Hand in Trying to Stop the Fight Carnival.

As printed in last night's Post-Dispatch, Delegate Catron's bill to prevent prize fighting in New Mexico passed the House of Representatives at Washington, and will be rushed through the Senate. bill makes it a felony, punishable by a five years' term in prison for any one to enyears' term in prison for any one to engage in a pugilistic encounter in the District of Columbia or any of the Territories of the United States.

When Dan A. Stuart, the pugilistic carnival promoter, heard of the action of Congress, he said: "No power can stop these fights. If anybody evinces any sort of a doubt as to this I will lay them 4 to 1 for any part of \$50,000."

Delegate Catron claims he has conclusive evidence that it was Stuart's intention to bring off his carnival in New Mexico, having made a deal, whereby he was assured of

ing made a deal, whereby he was assured of immunity from the Territorial authorities. According to a dispatch from the City of Mexico "El Globo" says the prize fight man-agers have offered the State of Chihuahua

ANTI-NERVOUS RLOCH BROS TOBACCO No NERVES QUAKING PAL SITATING ACHING

NEUTRALIZED

\$29,000 in gold for permission to have the contests take place on Mexican soil. The permission, adds "La Globo," will positively not be granted.

Stuart and his associates have never made the location of the contest.

Stuart and his associates have never made any public announcement as to the location of the carnival battle ground beyond the fact that it was near El Paso, Tex. At Hot Springs last fall Stuart professed to be able to bring off the Corbett-Fitz affair near El Paso, but Corbett refused to bother with Fitz any longer. At the time it was learned that Stuart had in view for the battle ground a piece of No Man's Land in the Free Zone country. It was claimed that neither Texas nor Mexico had any jurisdiction over it. This spot, if it is on the map, may yet prove to be Stuart's secret selection for the big carnival battle ground.

FROM EL PASO.

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Latest News and Gossip About Stuart's

Fistic Carnival.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 3.—With Choynski behind Fitzsimmons and Hall seconding Maher, a curious fistic combination will present itself. Fitssimmons beat Maher in twelve rounds, Hall in four rounds, and had a police finish with Choynski in five rounds. Maher fought a six-round draw with Hall, was defeated by Fitzsimmons and challenged by Choynski. Choynski knocked Hall out in thirteen rounds. Then, to complicate matters still further, Hall knocked Fitzsimmons out in four rounds. Get your pencil out and figure.

Al Smith, Ed Kearney, P. J. Dwyer, Mattel Corbett, Wm. McNamara, Steve O'Donnell, heading a party of twenty-one from the New Manha'tan Club; ike Thompson, Tobe Wall and a party of about fifty from the New York Athletic Club, chaperoned by the veteran Mike Donovan, will get in from the Sporting Notes.

STRATHMEATH BROKEN DOWN. Green Morris' Famous Gelding Will Hardly Race Again.

Strathmeath, Green Morris' famous old campaigner, broke down badly in his last campaigner, broke down badly in his last start at San Francisco and it is not thought he will ever be able to race again. Morris paid \$1,600 for Strathmeath as a yearling and the old gelding has been a great breadwinner for seven years. In 1890 Strathmeath was the second best 2-year-old to Potomac, and his winnings amounted to \$40,575. He won five stakes, defeating such cracks as LaTosca, Russell, Fairy, Ambulance, Sallie McClelland and Sirocco. The following season Strathmeath won six races, including the American derby at Chicago, valued at \$19,000. His winnings that year amounted to \$37,920. In 1892 he captured twelve races and his winnings were \$7,915. In 1892 he captured twelve races and his winnings were \$7,915. In 1892 he won thirteen races and his total winnings reached the snug sum of \$15,061. Last year most of his racing was done at the Fair Grounds. During the seven seasons he has been in training he won fifty-four races out of 125 starts, was second in thirty-one, third in twenty-one and unplaced in twenty. His total winnings have been \$111,577. Strathmeath is a bay gelding, by Strathmore, dam Flower of the Meath. start at San Francisco and it is not though

COVINGTON POOL ROOMS. Sharpe and Bollinger Ordered by

Court to Close Up at Once. CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 6.-Sharpe & Bol-CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 6.—Sharpe & Bollinger, cited poolroom bookmakers in Covington, appeared in court yesterday under citation made Tuesday, to show why they had not closed their pool rooms. They stated they had closed them. The court did not accept the explanation, since the rooms are still running in evasion of the court. The accused were held in \$5,000 to appear to-day and take the consequences if the pool rooms were not closed.

Lexington Horse Sale.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 6.—Only one horse brought over \$500 at the Woodard & Shanklin sale yesterday. J. H. L., 2:05½ pacing, was sold to J. D. Creighton, Donerall, Ky., for \$1,150. The mext highest was Dorfmark, 2:20, sold to Bayless & Turney, Paris, Ky., for \$450. Track Results.

AT SPORTSMAN'S PARK.—Little Bowling, Dan Farrell, Susie Penington, Abe Cohn and Conductor McSweeney.

AT SAN FRANCISCO—Joe Terry, Eckert, Installator, Gold Dust, Clara Wilson and Wheel of Fortune.

AT NEW ORLEANS—Rouble Terrapin, Koenigen, Emin Bey, My Hebe and Stanza.

Cincinnati Trap Shooters. CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 6.—In a match shoot at 500 blue rock artificial targets here yesterday, American Association rules, 500 a side, the score stood: Half-breed of Portsmouth, O., 422, or 84, per cent, Gamble of Aurora, Ind., 388, or 73.6 per cent. Weather cloudy, dark and unfavorable, Among the noted shooters present were

Track Talk.

Billy Barrick's Maurice was beaten in the Merchants' handicap at New Orleans by Emin Bey.

Installator ran a mile over heavy going at Frisco Wednesday in the fast time of 141%.

Before signing with Barney Schreiber for 1886, Jerry Chorn declined an offer of \$8,000 from the Erie stable.

Old Tenny is now one of the sires at Rancho del Paso, and his first daughter out of La Favorita, the dam of Ballarat, is a perfect individual.

Dan Donnelly, the Philadelphia bookmaker, is now running the betting ring at Sportsman's Park. He took charge Wednesday.

Wednesday by a newspaper man named Bell.

In a cocked hat match at the Crescent alleys last night, the Broadways bested the Centrals in a close game. Score, 3 to 2.

The receipts of the Dixon-Pailmer show at Madison Square Garden were 4,806.

Eugene Carter is back in London giving exhibitions and playing a series of small matches with local experts of the French carom game.

There are seventy-four amendments to the constitution and by-laws of the L. A. W. to be acted upon by the National Assembly next week in Baitimore.

Frank C. Ives is still in Madrid. He has beaten Cure and Prot a number of times in a series of matches, and now he has great-difficulty in getting the Frenchmen to meet him.

The Mirror of Life has cabled to Arthur T. Lumley as follows: "The National Sporting Club of London will give a purse of \$10,000 for Maher and Fitzsimmons in case they cannot fight at El Paso.

P. H. Bryson, formerly owner of the celebrated English setter Gladstone, will be one of the judges in the St. Louis bench show.

Mike Donovan says that he has a heavy-

Mike Donovan says that he has a heavy-weight who can defeat any man living ex-cept Peter Jackson or Bob Fitzsimmons. Donovan will not give out the name of his man, but says he was the champion middle and heavyweight of Harvard a few years

A Handy Thing to Have Around. The Post-Dispatch Almanac for 1896 has the most complete summary of information upon all subjects of interest to be found in any publication. It is the greatest of all encyclopaedic annuals, and a manual of comprehensiveness as well as cheapness. It is practical, thorough, accurate and concise. 500 pages, 1,000 topics, 10,000 facts. Thirty pages devoted especially to St. Louis. Price 25 cents.

HAVE DRIFTED APART. Mrs. Kelly Is at the Hospital, Her

Sons Are in Jail. The Kelly family, at 212 Spruce street, more than slightly disrupted. Mrs. Mary More than slightly disrupted. Mrs. Mary Kelly, aged 60, clung to the old home until Wednesday night, when, sick and destitute, she applied to the police for aid. They sent her to the City Hospital. Her sons, John, Patrick and Philip Kelly, are locked up in the City Jail. Mrs. Kelly's husband disappeared several months ago and has not been seen or heard of since.

VASES, NEW IMPORTATIONS in the finest wares. Temptingly low prices. Mermod & Jaccard, Broadway and Locust.

Presented With a Medal. The members of companies Nos. 17, 17, 28 and 30, and Hook and Ladder Company No. 9, presented Assistant Fire Chief W. Hillenkoetten with a magnificent medal Wednesday night. A meeting was held at Engine House 17, on Easton avenue, and was largely attended by representatives of the companies named. Christ Brokate made the presentation address. Bupper was served after the exercises.

V.-P.-Vandalia-Pennsylvania. A strictly first-class line.

HOME COMFORT

ROLL OF HONOR.

THREE GOLD And ONE SILVER Medal. Vostd's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Expe-HIGHEST AWARDS

Nebraska State Board of Agriculture, 1887. DIPLOMA labama State Agr'l Society at Montgomery, 1888.

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St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Ass'n, 1889 SIX HIGHEST AWARDS

HIGHEST AWARDS

World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1893

SIX GOLD MEDALS Midwinter Fair, San Francisco, Cal., 1894

SILVER MEDAL

ABOVE HONORS WERE RECEIVED BY "HOME COMFORT" HOT-AIR STREET

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FOLLOWED JAMISON. One of the Transvaal Raiders Has Arrived in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 .- One of Dr. Jamion's followers in the Transvaal raid has arrived here. His name is Philip Gershel arrived here. His name is Philip Gershel. He says:

"Whatever Jamison did was fully known to Cecil Rhodes. Nothing was done without the latter's advice, and what he knew was known to the English Government, in my opinion. That part of the story, however, I do not care to discuss at the present time. As to the Americans who are under arrest there, or are out on bail, I believe that they will be severely dealt with: As to Jamison he will not suffer much. They can only try him on a charge of violating the foreign enlistment act, and I doubt if they will convict him of that offense. The whole country around there is well worth fighting for and I believe that as a result of the last fight, however abortive it proved. Krueger will be forced to make concessions. It will only be a matter of time, however, in my judgment, when England will have it all."

Cannot Hear From Washington. NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—A morning paper has this news from Johannesburg, Trans-

has this news from Johannesburg, Transvaai:

"The Pretoria Government has ordered the Boer troops to occupy the heights above the city,

"The Germans, incited by Emperor William's message to Kruger, have formed a volunteer force, to police the city, and the feeling against them among the rest of the Uitlanders is very strong.

"We have heard nothing from New York for the last five days. Consul Knight wired to the State Department at Washington a week ago, but he can get no answer through. He has left for Cape Town. We are absolutely without any news from the outside world."

Echoes of the Berlin Scandal.

BERLIN, Feb. 6.—Prince Frederick Hohenzollern, who resigned the command of the 3d Army Corps because the Emperor refused to confirm the decision of the Board of Honor in the Yon Kotz case, intends to quit Berlin and to reside in South Germany. Prince Albert of Saxon-Atlenburg will also retire to his estates in Mecklenburg.

Lieut, von Kotz was charged with being the author of the numerous anonymous letters which were circulated in German court circles, defaming high personages in those circles, but was acquitted of these charges and had marks of special consideration shown him by the Emperor thereafter. He fought a number of duels as a result of these charges being brought against him and underwent a term of imprisonment for dueling. Echoes of the Berlin Scandal.

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SANTA FE ECONOMY.

Three Hundred Men Discharged From

the Topeka Shops.

TOPEKA, Kas., Feb. 5.-The Santa Fe

Co., pursuing its policy of retrenchment, last night discharged 300 men employed in

its shops here. Of these 150 were employed

in the repair shops, where a large force has

CLOSED OUT THE STOCK.

The J. L. Hudson Co. Buys Out S

tire stock yesterday to the J. L. Hudson Co. at 40c on the dollar of wholesale cost

The Hudson Co. have moved the stock to their store, corner Broadway and Locust, and will put it on sale to-morrow morning at priges that are sure to make a sensation. Some specially remarkable items will be found in the J. L. Hudson Co.'s advertisement in this issue.

Charles Frederick McKinstry Dead.

Word was received in St. Louis Wednesday of the death at Ann Arbor University of Charles Frederick McKinstry. The young man was a son of Gen. Justus McKinstry, remembered in war times as the terrible Provost Marshal, and later known to fame through his marriage at the age of four score to a lady of some thirty sumers.

Rivers B. Meriwether's Death.

lar of Wholesale Cost.

nent in this issue.

And now is just the time to try
This plan if one intends to buy
Before the busy season comes,
When traffic loudly roars and hums,
When traffic loudly roars and hums,
Menichol sells his goods first cost
Just now to make up what is lost;
Don't wait for money in your purse,
Perhaps delay has been your curse. Grade-Mark)

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P. S.—Do not think of inferior goods. Hery you will get the best made. Furniture, carpets curtains, bedding, lamps, clocks, dishes, pictures kitchen and laundry ware, refrigerators, baby ear riages, brica-brac, couches, stoves, ranges, etc.

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es and easiest terms you ever THE ONLY M'NICHOL.

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AND IT IS DONE WELL. res plenty of hot water, too. Made by EXCELSIOR MFG. CO.

een busy for some months getting rolling stock ready in order to move the big corr FOR SALE BY STOVE DEALERS. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 8.—The heads of the various departments in the Santa F shops here received notice yesterday of cut of 10 per cent in their wages. So far a known no men are to be dismissed from the shops.

GRATEFUL—COMFORTING.

EPPS'S COCOA

BREAKFAST—SUPPER.

"By a thorough knowledge of the nautral laws, which govers the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Occoa, Mr. Rops has provided for our breakfast and support a delicately flavored beverage, which may are as many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually belit up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maindles are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by teeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a proparty neurished frame."—Civil Bervice Gasette.

Is de simply with boiling water or milk.

Bold only in half-pound tins, by Greecers labeled that:

JAMES EPPS & Co., Ltd., Rememopathic Chemista, Leades, England. Saphir, Men's Furnisher, Opposite Southern Hotel, at 40c on the Dol-S. Saphir, who has been conducting a Men's Furnishing Goods store at the corner of Broadway and Walnut, sold out his en-



Mrs. Sarah Creng of No. 1728 McGee St., Kansas City, Mo., under date of June 19, 1895, states: "I have been ill with dyspepsia and indigestion for

about seven years without permanent relief until I finally tried Ripans Tabules. After using a box of them I can eat anything without any unpleasant effect and am gaining strength and think I am perma cured, and think it my duty to give this testimony, hoping that some one suffering from the same cause may be benefited by using them."

FANCY SHIRTINGS Regular New York

HORSE SHOW PATTERNS.

D. L. PARRISH, 702 Olive St. AMUSEMENTS.

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MRS. POTTER AND MR. BELLEW.
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FRIDAY NIGHTS, She Stoops to Conquer
SATURDAY MATINEE, CAMILLE.
Ronday Night, Feb. D-WM. HOET.
Sunday Night, Feb. 16-lingersoil-"Foundations
of Faith." Sale of seats Feb. 10.

Gov. Bob and Hon. Alf

TAYLOR Appear at EXPOSITION MUSIC HALL Monday Night, Feb. 10, edde by their fine quarted in their masterpiece of Fidde and the Bow."

Tickets at Bollman's and Roeder's, No extra charge for reserved seats.



The Coroner returned a verdict Wednesday afternoon that the death of Rivers B. Meriwether was caused by opium poisoning, an overdose of the drug having been taken by accident. Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

SOLUTELY PURE

"Silk Stocking's" Opinion the Republican Boss

WOLF IN POLITICS

A Surprise in Stere for the Apostle Harmony When the Next State Convention Meets.

scial to The Post-Dispatch.

ENCHLSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Feb. 6.—
hen H. L. Morse, one of the active "Slikscking" Republicans of the State, read
r. Filley's "coy and modest" letter in a
l. Louis paper, he said: Mr. Filley elabates, even to weariness. His expansive
tter might be condensed into this one
mtence: There will be perfect harmony in

"Ramphlyan party in Missouri if they he Republican party in Missouri if they fill all consult me and do just as I direct n. This is the sum and substance of epistle which is so excessively egotisti-

them. This is the sum and substance the epistie which is so excessively egotistical.

"Mr. Filley is no longer adroit nor reliable in his expressions. He constantly asserts, at least by implication, that he is not a boss and yet one does not have to read between the lines to see that he contradicts the assertions. When anything is to be done, it is all the time, 'I, me, my, mine.'

"His letter is thickly interspersed with these personal pronouns. In fact, if you would the egotism of the letter you will have a very brief communication. The burden of the letter is an effort to glorify himself. Possibly he may be so self-conscious in his own mind of political greatness that he may have no proper conception of the ridiculous extent to which his egotism gets to the front and disfigures all of his acts and blemishes all of his words. It was very kind to the gontiemen of the national sub-committee, when seated around the table at the Mosque, for Mr. Filley to inform them that the four gentlemen then and there named would be delegates from the State at large to the National Convention. Who authorized him to make this announcement? He fairly weeps to think that candidates for Governor should be named now—says it is premature to do so—should wait until the State Convention meets.

"It is always premature for any Repub-

should be named now-says it is premature to do so-should wait until the State Convention meets.

"It is always premature for any Republican not under Mr. Filley's influence to come out for office. But any time is opportune for him to run up the names of candidates. Why did he not wait for the convention to meet and let it name the four national delegates? No: it is never premature for Mr. Filley to announce candidates, but it is exceedingly premature for any other Republican to do the same thing without first consulting him.

"Mr. Filley is really a wolf in politics, though he would have you believe he is a lamb. He is not a boss, but the convention must nominate 'my candidate.' He is posing as a martyr and peacemaker, while as a matter of fact he is a political highwayman, ready he and his banditti of hoodlums to assasinate the character of all Republicans who have enough independence and manhood to do their own thinking.

"He is now busily engaged in working the party harmony scheme, but every Republican knows how hollow and insincere are his professions. To the Republicans who are not obedient to him he shows a smilling face, but carries a dirk in his sleeve. As has been said, he has harmony on his lips and hell in his heart.'

"While professing harmony, and loudly proclaiming it, he has his county newspaper organs abusing and slugging every prominent Republican in the State should be deceived by it.

"But there are evidences that the Beaumont Boss is on the wane, Soon I expect

that any Republicans in the State should be deceived by it.

"But there are evidencees that the Beaumont Boss is on the wane. Soon I expect to see hewspapers with articles on this ancient character, headed. The Passing of Filley, Missouri Republicans are 'aweary' of the 'de ole man,' and a majority of them long to get rid of this Jonah of the party. Mr. Filley will meet the Republicans at the State convention this year under entirely different conditions from the surroundings attending them in conventions of the past. It has been in the past that Republicans went to State Conventions expecting nothing. Their candidacy meant certain defeat and a personal sacrifice. Under these conditions Mr. Filley found pilable material and he could set up or knock down whoever he pleased; but, happily, all this is changed. This year Republicans will go the State Convention full of confidence, "eving that the State is going Republicans with the state is going Republicans."

the State Convention full of confidence, 'eving that the State is going Republ1. Candidates will be there for blood, y will have opinions and minds of their and the state of the confidence. He will be dumfounded at the utter recklessness with which they will trample upon his dicta. As a boss Mr. Filley is in the sere and yellow leaf. Even letters like his recent one will not save him from the rout that is about to overtake him.

"While Mr. Filley is preaching harmony he is also, it is said, running a Bureau of Detraction, from which are sent out articles for his country organs, abusing and maligning prominent men in the party who are not subservient to his saidsh minent men in the party who are now vient to his selfish management. This of detraction is an addition to his riter and is designed for wider and

FRACTURED HIS SKULL.

ard Casey of 1217 Tower Grove avenu

Fight Between Schoolboys May Result in the Death of One.

es at his home suffering from a fractured skull resulting from a blow inflicted with a rock by Edward Sledd, another 17-year-old boy. Casey and Sledd are schoolboys. They beboy.
Casey and Sledd are schoolboys. They became involved in a fight at Vista and Tower Grevé avenues Wednesday afternoon. Stedd threw a rock at Casey, who fell unconscious. The rock had struck him on the head. At Casey's home a physician found that the skull was fractured. The wound was pronounced probably fatal, but on Thursday Casey's condition had improved.
Sledd was arrested and is now locked up at the Mounted District Police Station. He lives at 4366 Vista avenue.

FRANCE AND BRAZIL The Belations Between These Two

Countries Somewhat Strained. PARIS, Feb. 6.—Several newspapers de-clare that the position of Brazil in regard to the Amapa Territory and the conduct of Cabral, the alleged Governor of the dis-puted district, is becoming intolerable, and that the national dignity requires that the matter be speedily concluded.

CARDINAL RAMPOLLO.

It Is Denied That the Papal Secretary of State Has Resigned.

ROME, Feb. 6.-The report that Cardinal Rompollo, the Papal Secretary of State, has resigned, owing to serious dif-ferences with the Pope, is denied in author-itative quarters.

Delmar Boulevard Sale. Nicholis-Ritter Realty and Financial Co. Id to Arthur R. Deacon lot fronting 100 is on the north line of Delmar bouler of by a depth of 170 feet, 100 is west of King's highway at \$55 per front to, being the property of Brainard Allian. Mr. Deacon bought on speculation of the price which he paid was a low figs for the property. The street in front of is lot from King's highway to the city alias will soon be improved as a 100 footulevard. Mr. Allison bought this lot out three years ago.

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Republic, Jan. 15. "It is the largest institution of its kind in the city and has all
the most modern inventions used in the
practice of medicine."
Chronicle, Jan. 18. "No institution in the
Mississippi Valley is of greater benefit
to humanity in general. "Why
should people suffer when such a great
and willing institution is ready to answer
your call for help?"

Star, Jan. 23. "It is the largest, most complete and most thoroughly equipped medical and surgical institute in the country. * Controlled by some of this country's greatest and most eminent specialists. They combat diseases in a marvellous manner."

surgical cases treated successfully. Every comfort and convenience arranged for patients and their every want and necessity anticipated. Every appliance known to modern surgery. Up to date methods in the treatment of all curable diseases."

lobe-Democrat, Feb. 5. "To delay is to be more foolish than the fool, to be more idiotic than the idiot. The treatment of the skilled specialists at the Reklaw Academy restores run-down systems to all their old-time strength."

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BUILDING A HOSPITAL.

Dr. Marks Gives His Views of How It Should Be Done.

"Much should be forgiven the Municipal assembly if it will make provision for a new City Hospital," said Dr. Heine Marks, apropos of the measure introduced in the Council Tuesday night by Mr. Ives.

While Dr. Marks was Superintendent of the Hospital the need for new buildings was daily forced upon him. He succeeded in

was daily forced upon him. He succeeded in getting some additions, but he has always insisted that a complete new establishment was and is badly needed.

"The present site of the hospital is better than any that could be secured," continued the whilom superintendent. "Any proposition to change it should be fought vigorously. It is centrally located, easily accessible from the other city institutions and there is plenty of room. If the new hospital should be located out of town it would be necessary to have a temporory hospital in the heart of the city. The result would be that the regular institution would have only patients afflicted with chronic diseases. "If the Assembly decides to build a new that the regular institution would have only patients afflicted with chronic diseases. "If the Assembly decides to build a new hospital, care should be taken to avoid errors in construction and extravagance in expenditures. There should be no false economy. Every building should be fire-proof, and fitted up in the most approved modern style. In order to insure this a committee of physicians who have had experience in the management of hospitals should be appointed to aid in preparing the plans. After the plans are arranged they should be turned over to a commission, composed of business men, whose duty it would be to see that they are carried out to the letter, and that the city is not subjected to the unwarranted expenditures which have created so many scandals about public improvements. "The payliton style should prevail in the

ments.

"The pavilion style should prevail in the new buildings. One pavilion, with room for about sixty patients, should be built for acute surgical cases. Another for aseptic and chronic surgical cases should have accommodations for 100; another for typhoid fever, thirty patients; another for pneumonia and similar cases, 100 patients; another for consumptives, 100 patients; another for expripelas, twenty-five patients; another for measles, scarlet fever and diphtheria—each in separate wards—twenty-five

"Come Early in the Morning"

And Improve a few shining hours in

Making Selections from Friday's Grop of Bargains. ODD LOTS. "NOTE A FEW."

Ladies' Knit Underwear. Center Ajsle.

Great Friday Sale of Odds and Ends.

ersey Ribbed Wool Vests and Pants, Crow's price 85c, Friday's 49c pecial drives in Odds and Ends of Ladies' Underwear on counters at sacrifice prices. See these.

Colored Dress Goods.

Lot 36 Inch All-Wool Colored French Serges Crow's price was 35c, Friday price per yard.23c 50 Inch All-Wool Navy Blue Serges, Crow's price 45c, Friday price per 32c yard.....32c Special Friday clearing out of Odds and Ends of Colored Dress Goods. Prices Abso-lutely Cut.

Silk Department.

Clearing of odds and ends in Fancy Taffeta Silks, 5 to 6-yard lengths, for waists. These must go if prices will do it.

Linen Department.

Hemstitched Linen Pillow Cases, Crow's price \$2.00, few left, \$1.49 Fringed Damask Tray Cloths, Crow's price 30c, Friday price . . 19c 8-4 Fringed Damask Cloths, Crow's price \$1.85, Friday price\$1.28

White Fringed Damask Napkins, 39c Crow's price 50c, Friday price,

Muslin Underwear, Shirt Waists, Etc.

adles' Drawers, with cluster of tucks Ladies' Percale Shirt Waists, laundered collars and cuffs, good styles, but some-what soiled, Crow's prices 65c to \$1.50

Friday prices... 39c and 59c adies' Corsets, in large sizes only, Crow' prices 65c and 39c and 49c Children's Silk Caps, but few feft, Friday price, each 2c

Black Goods Department.

This ever popular department has accumulated quite a lot of Odds and Ends as a result of the week's cutting up. You will find lots of bargains in these staple Dress and Skirt Fabrics.

Notions, Handkerchiefs.

Odds and ends in Colored Silk Ribbon Fringes, Crow's price \$1.00 yard, 5c Ruchings, in black, white and colors, Crow's price 25c yard, Friday price, per yard5c Ladies' White Cambric Initialed Handkerchiefs, Crow's price 7½c each, Friday price, each 3c Leather Girdle Belts, in black and tan, 5c Crow's price 50c, Friday price.....5c

Furnishing Goods Dep't.

\$1.00 Street Gloves at......49c For Friday a large accumulation of Odds and Ends will be placed on counters in center of aisle. Note a few: \$1.50 Kid Gloves Lot of assorted Gents' Ties, Crow's price 25c, Friday's price 10c Adler's \$1.50 Dress Gloves Lot of Tecks and Flowing Ends, all silk, Adler's \$1.25 Dress Gloves Adler's \$1.25 Dress Gloves 79c 75c Cashmere Gloves

Some \$3.00 L

Wright's \$2. Fleece-Lin wear at...

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Friday's price18c Lot of Boys' and Men's Suspenders, Crow's price 35c, Men's Domet Flannel Night Robes, 49c Crow's price 85c, Friday price White Fringed Damask Napkins, 68c

N. W. COR. BROADWAY and ST. CHARLES.

cases. There should also be a payllion for the insane, with accommodations for thirty patients, and in every ward there should be cells for prisoner patients.

"The superintendent's residence should be detached and isolated from the other buildings. It might be located at any one of the four corners of the grounds. In addition to the payllions for the patients there should be buildings for the drug store, linen room, storeroom, dining-room, kitchen and laundry. The laundry should be attached to the engine house, which is new.

"The payllions could be erected one at a time and in that way the new hospital could be completed without any removal of patients.

ABOUT TOWN.

ENTERTAINMENT AND HOP.—At West St., Louis Turner Hall, Thursday night, the Mystic Order of Young Americans gave its first annual ball. Besides dancing excellent songs were ren-dered by Charles Boyd, P. G. A. Moore, Joe and Dan Collins, Joe Sarrel, Jake Marx and Fred Raymond. Dan Collins, Joe Sarres, sea Saymond.

STARBED THE FOREMAN.—With a ship pointed piece of steel John Perrett stabbed V. E. Smith Wednesday afternoon. Smith was foan and Perrett an employe of the Plant to. The men quarreled over their work. Weapon struck a rib just below the heart, fileting a wound that Dr. Ford, 3501 Lindell ave pronounced not serious. Perrett was arrested

Milwaukee Man's Misfortune. F. W. Seimes of Milwaukee, Wis., called on Mamie Moore at Ida West's resort on South Ninth street Wednesday with 3110 in his inside pocket. As he was leaving he noticed that his money was gone. An argument between Seimes, Mamie Moore and Ida West ensued. Officers Kavanaugh and Finan arrested the women. The money was not recovered:

. THE LAW INTERFERED.

Frank X. Collinette's Dying Wishes Could Not Be Carried Out.

property, whether they are expressed ver

bally or in writing, have no legal weight in Missouri unless attested by witnes case of Frank X. Collinette, who committed tients. "Another thing that should be provided when the city gets a new hospital is a training school for nurses. It would save at least \$2,500 a year and give better satisfaction." small amount of valueless household furniture constituted his possessions. Collinette, in his last hours, thought of the two boys. Johnny and Robert Meiner, whose youthful companionship had often relieved him of the weight of melancholy, from which he suffered. In making a mental inventory of his property he assigned the bicycles to the two boys, knowing they would appreciate the humble gifts. The money, he knew, would be enough to bury him decently, and what relatives he had had long since forpotten him. So he left a letter to Coroner Wait, so disposing of his goods.

Collinette was buried and the undertaker wanted his pay. The money in the bank was available, but nobody could draw it out. This forced the Fublic Administrator to administer on the estate. Having taken charge he was compelled by law to gather together all Collinette's effects. So the two boys lost their bicycles.

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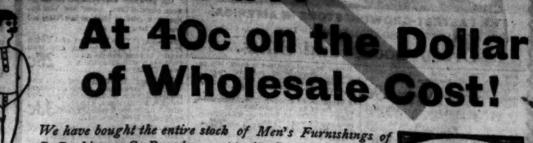
Under the law in this State, when the estate has been administered, if no heirs appear, what is left after paying the current expenses, becomes the property of the State. Out of Collinette's estate will probably be left the two bicycles, which will be confiscated to no gain for the State and to the frustration of the kindly wish of a man on the verge of death.

The good of the community might have been as well subserved had the boys been allowed to keep the bicycles, which are valueless; but they were notified Wednesday that they must deliver them up to the administrator.

Wm. Kraleman in a Fair Way to Be Deprived of His Veta.

After having steadily voted the Reput can ticket for nineteen years, during w period he has never missed a general, State or municipal election, to say nothing of innumerable primaries and conventions. Will-iam Kralemann of 1628 North Twelfth street unexpectedly found himself in a fair way to be deprived of that dear privilegs Wed-

LOST HIS PAPERS.



We have bought the entire stock of Men's Furnishings of S. Saphir, 20 S. Broadway, opposite Southern Hotel. It is a nice, clean, new stock, specially selected for Southern Hotel trade. Beginning at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning we shall place it on sale at our own store, corner Broadway and Locust,



At the Cheapest Prices Ever Known in This State! Un

nderwear.	Shirts!
Underwear 98c 2.75 Extra Fine ned Under- \$1.48 Scarlet Under- 49c Wool Underwear 89c	\$1.25 Monarch White Shirts 73c at
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Umbrellas! \$2.50 and \$2.75 Umbrellas 980 \$3 Umbrellas \$1.49 \$4 Umbrellas at \$5 Umbrellas at \$1.98 \$2.49

THE J. LIHUDSON CO.

Broadway and Locust.

AMID WREATHS OF SMOKE.

the Mercantile Club.

At the Mercantile Club Wednesday night Mystic Order of Funny Fellows. King Hotu's colors, royal purple and gold, were lavishly used in the decoration of the large

banquet hall.

There were fully 600 guests present when at 8:15 o'clock President R. W. Shapleigh

TEARS WERE UNAVAILING.

Seorge La Salle Caught Stealing and Locked Up Despite His Mother.

MRS. BLIZA MAY'S DRAFT.

The Funny Fellows' Annual Smoker at How Mer Namesake Secured It and Went to Louisville on the Proceeds.

If Mrs. Eliza May of 1933 Morgan street is probable that a criminal charge will be placed against her. The police also want to find one Denton, who is believed to have had a hand in a scheme whereby Mrs. May se-

May of 4109 Finney avenue. which was given in Wednesday's Post-Dispatch, indicate that Mrs May of Morgan street plotted to secure the draft. A package of cancelled drafts had been mailed Mrs. May of Finney avenue by the Mechanics' Bank of New Ha ron, Conn., in response to a request from Mrs. May's son that her account be balanced and the cancelled drafts forwarded.

The package was by mistake delivered to Mrs. May on Morgan street. As indicated by recent disclosure, she immediately ordered the Bank of New Haven to forward her a \$75 draft. The rightful Mrs. May had a balance of \$1,400 and the order was complied with. which was given in Wednesday's Post-Die

THE LAMP BROKE

CASUALTY BRIEFS.

Machinery
Venice, Ill., Wednesday and was
mangled.
Henry Sackett, aged 70, fell from a bridge
near Nevada, Mo., in sttempting to avoid
a train. He died of his injuries.
Coal gas escaping from a kitchen stove
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billed Patrick Shaughnessy, his wife and

A MAN CAN'T WORK

WHEN HE IS SUFFERING WITH PILES.

He Can't Eat, Can't Sleep, Can't Get Con-fort Any Way but One-Pyramid Pile Cure Will Care Him, Give Bellef at Once -Never Known to Fail.



CARSTEN EGEBERG BORCHGREVINE (The famous Antarctic explorer who is to command the Britis-leave London Sept. 1 next for the South PolOld Orchard Postmistress Lest Her Job and Won a Hubby.

MARRIED TO GRANDPA JOY.

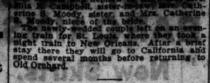
Romance of the Suburbs Which Reached a Climax in Gen. Grant's Old Leg Cabin.

It was about two years ago that the gos-sips of Old Orchard first noticed it and, of course, they talked.

This is not to be wondered at, for when a gray-haired old widower who has seen 75 winters gets to riding around a little country town with a maiden lady who for 50 years has lived in single blessed-

ness, it becomes a legitimate matter for comment.

Everybody in Old Orchard knows "Grandpa" Edward Joy. He is the blg man of the town and when you strike a house out



CRITTENDEN DIVORCE CASE

An Indication That It Will Not Be Contested.

The suit of Henry Huston Crittenden for divorce from Daisy Dozier Crittenden was placed on the default docket of Judge Flit-craft's Court Thursday, the defendant hav-



GRANDPA EDWARD JOY. there which he doesn't, own it's like catching the zero on a roulette wheel.

Miss Ellen Twining is also prominent. One time she was Postmistress, so, of course, everybody knew her.

If they had been youngsters it would have been bad enough, but having reached the wintry side of life people chucked each other in the ribs and grinned and smiled all the more.

This sort it him.

all the more.

This sort of thing grew stale in time, and as nothing apparently was to come of it the gossips let the matter drop.

But the aged lovers kept right at it, and Wednesday they sprung a surprise on the community in the shape of a marriage.

And now 39 per cent of the Old Orchardites are saying, "I told you so."

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Miss Twining lives in Edgebrook, but when President Harrison was in office she succeeded in getting herself appointed Postmistress of Old Orchard.

Everybody liked her, and as her family was strongly Republican, there wasn't the slightest objection to the President's selection. She continued to live in Edgebrook, about a mile to the northeast of Old Orchard, and came over every day to the office, which she established in the same building in which Grandpa Joy's real estate office was.

He was a strong Republican and it was only natural that she should use one of his buildings.

The old gentleman was a widower at this time and the first thing that the observant ones noticed was that he used to spend a good deal of time in the Post-office. He was always expecting important mail and he felt it necessary to call for it himself.

He had known Miss Twining long before this, for he was a member of the same Congregational Church and both of them were active workers in it.

As far back as two years ago, and perhaps more, "Grandpa" began to get demonstrative. Nothing would do but that he must drive Miss Twining over to Edgebrook almost every evening, and oftentimes he would go for her in the morning.

He had a spanking team and, as if this wasn't enough to set every tongue in town a-wagging, he must even take her for special drives around the county on beautiful summer days.

They were neither of them as young as they used to be, but Grandpa was still strong and lusty and his lady love looked but little over half her years, Almost every one thought it was a fit and proper thing and predicted a speedy marriage.

Somehow there was a hitch. People now say that Grandpa Joy's family did not look with favor on the match, for he is worth 200,000 and is pretty old and the law of Missouri gives a widow a dowry of one-third, will or no will.

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will or no will.

About three months ago Miss Twining was removed from her place in the Post-office. She had been kept in longer than had been expected, but at last the bungry Democratic succeeded in having her ousted.

This left her in more or less straightened circumstances and led, it is said, to the recently celebrated nuptials.

The affair was kept very quiet. The engagement was announced a week or two ago to the immediate members of the familles.

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If there was any final opposition it was unavailing and was not sufficient to cause a breach.

The ceremony was performed Wednesday evening in Old Orchard in the historic old cabin of ex-President Grant, which the groom purchased and moved from the Grant farm to Old Orchard. It is now occupied by Rev. A. I. Bradist, pastor of the Congregational Church. Mr. Bradley officiated.

The room in which the couple were united was decorated for the occasion with flowers and potted plants. They stood in front of one of the windows, beneath a mass of smilax and forget-me-nots, and when the last words of the service were pronounced and the gray-haired groom kissed his sedate hilds, the very logs in the cabin creaked with loy and the whitewash came from the refless in kindly baneliction.

INVESTIGATED DR. DRACK.

Wabash Ledge, K. of P., Will Drop the Festive Dector Frem Their Roll.

Dr. James J. Drace, the ex-City Dispen-

Dr. James J. Drace, the ex-City Dispensary physician, whose recent escapade with Lawyer Kinnerk's pretty wife is still fresh in the mind of the public, will probably be fired bodily from Wabash Lodge, No. 38, Knights of Fythias, at its next meeting.

When the story of Dr. Drace's relations with Mrs. Kinnerk first came out his brother members of Wabash Lodge cohcluded to investigate the matter.

A committee was appointed to meet at Alderman Dieckman's office on North Twelfth street. Dr. Drace was notified to be on hand and defend himself and Kinnerk was present to cross-examine the gay doctor with the flowing golden locks.

Drace ignored the committee and disappointed Kinnerk by failing to make his appearance. The penalty will be a report recommending that his name be dropped from the rolls of Wabash Lodge.



Foul breath is a discourager of affection. There are more reasons than one for this. Foul breath is a discourager of affection. There are more reasons than one for this. Foul breath is always an indication of poor health—bad digestion. To bad digestion. To bad digestion. To bad digestion of the digestive organs, the blood depends for its richness and purity. If digestion stops, poisonous matter accumulates and is forced into the blood—there is no place else for it to go. Before this, the fermented, putrid matter has indicated its presence by making the breath foul, the complexion sallow and muddy, the eyes dull and the head heavy. By and by, the germ infected poisonous matter in the blood causes weakness or infammation in some part of the body. Then comes rheumatism, scrofula, consumption, liver complaint, kidney trouble and a half a hundred other ills.

The bad breath is a danger signal. Look out for it! If you have it, or any other symptom of indigestion, take a bottle or two of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It will straighten out the trouble, make your blood pure and healthy and full of nutriment for the tissues. It is a strong statement, but a true one that the "Golden Medical Discovery" will cure of per cent. of all cases of consumption if it is taken in the carly stages. It will relieve even the most obstinate cases of long standing.

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Shows There Is Plenty of Money in the Country

AND NO LACK OF CONFID ENCE

Manufecturers, Business Men Bankers Confident That an Era of Prosperity Will Fellow.

Manufacturers, bankers and business men, and, in fact, all classes of citizens, are elated over the unqualified success of the Government bond sale.

prosperity.

The fact that the people were so easer to become the Government's creditors that nearly six times as much money as was asked for was offered, demonstrates that they have the money and have confidence in the Government's ability to pay.

Bank presidents and financiers declare that he becoming their own bondholders the people have done more to strengthen the country's credit among the nations of the world than by anything that has been done in the past decade.

It will restore confidence in every avenue

of trade, the price of stocks and American securities will advance and become more stable and money will be easier.

For some time people have hoarded their gold in anticipation of this popular sale.

Money has been tight and business dull.

One hundred millions of the people's gold will be taken by the Government and nearly five hundred millions more will be left in the people's hands, because the Government has more than is needed. The people will see that there is plenty of money in the country and this, say the financiers, means that there will be a general loosening and a great part of the vast accumulation of wealth will find its way back into circulation. will find its way back into circulation.

sought expressions of opinions Thursday morning from the leading bankers and business men of St. Louis.

They are almost unanimous in declaring that a general business revival will result. The interviews follow:

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George A. Madill, President of the Union Trust Co.: The amount of money bid—it seems to surprise many, judging from their expressions—is what every thoughtful man was prepared to see. The ability as well as the disposition of the people of this country to help out the Government in a matter of this kind ought never to be questioned by men who have to take it into consideration in conducting business affairs. The result upon the commercial feeling and enterprise of the country will be good, because the necessary tendency of it will be to restore the confidence of the public in the ability of this country to take dare of its interests both in times of var.

William H. Thompson, President National Bank of Commerce: For a month past busifiess has been awaiting the opening of these bids. There has been a temporary depression in consequence. The result will cause general prosperity. It shows the fullest confidence in the Government. It also shows that the people know that the bonds will be redeemed in gold. If there was any suspicion that they would not have brought \$60 on the \$100. It shows that the people do not believe the Post-Dispatch will win in its fight for free silver.

H. M. Noel, Vice President St. Louis Namiconal Bank: The effect will be to cause European capital to rush to this country and scramble for investment whenever Government bonds are offered. It indicates that the Government credit is beyond excel, and as soon as some of the present conditions change, business will revive wonderfully. I consider it a hard blow at free stilver. I do not consider that the United States has ever been subservient to Europe in money matters.

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Rufus J. Lackland, President of the Boatmen's Bank: It will have a salutary effect on all business; it can't have any other effect, it restores the confidence of the people in the ability of the Government to maintain the gold standard. It speaks well for the country and shows it to be in a good condition. It demonstrates there is plenty of gold in the country, which can be brought out on occasions of this kind.

G. W. Garrells, cashier of the Franklin Bank: It establishes again the confidence which the silver people have done their very best to undermine. It shows conclusively that the silver men are largely in the minority. It shows that the people of Europe and of the United States have full confidence that the Government will maintain the gold standard. It will assist in reviving business by restoring confidence in currency.

C. E. Kirchner, cashier of the German

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C. E. Kirchner, cashier of the German American Bank: It was a grand surprise to me and to the whole country. The amount offered was so large, considering the alleged prevailing scarcity of funds, as to surpass the expectations of the most sanguine. The effect on business throughout the country will be excellent. It shows the people take an interest in the Government's affairs. There ought to be no lack of confidence. It was presumed that the banks alone would take the bulk of the bonds, and the fact that they did not is the surprising feature.

G. A. W. Augst, cashier of the Fourth National Bank: The general idea is that business will be better. Nevertheless, it is hard to say just exactly what the result will be. It certainly indicates that Uncle Sam's credit is good.

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Amadee B. Cole, Vice-President Merchants' Exchange: The bond sale shows there is more gold in the country than people generally supposed. It shows that a feeling has been awakened among the American people that will lead to a restoration of confidence and the return of business prosperity. It is a strong argument in favor of a gold standard; people have confidence in gold that can never be felt in silver.

Michael McEnnis, ex-President Merchants' Exchange: This bond sale will relieve the pressure and make better times. At least 800,000,000 that has been hoarded will be released and turned into the channels of pusiness.

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William T. Anderson, President of the United Elevator: This shows how much confidence the people have in the Government. They have bid over five times as much as the Government had to sell. It means a return of business prosperity and better times generally. It shows the felly of going to Europe for what we have here.

Alex Smith, ex-President Merchants' Exchange: The fact that the people bid for nearly \$500,000,000 of bonds shows there is a heap more money in the country than anybody supposed. They must either have had the gold or have known where they could get it. It shows the people have more confidence in the Government than the Fresident has and is in strong contrast with Mr. Civeland's dealings through the bond syndicate. Beyond the benefits that always follow a restoration of confidence it will be confidence in the content of the

We placed a large order for New Shoes before the fire. They ar-rived yesterday. UNDERWEAR. 60c Men's Camels' Hair Mixed Shirts and Drawers. 50c Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants...... 29c 21c All our soc Children's Underwear..... 19c

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25c Window Shades on Patent Spring Roller.....

1314c Fine Flan-nelette Fancy Damask Towels, with handsome borders...... 4c 19c Fancy Hemstitched Linen Huck Towels..... 7c V 35c Turkey Red Table 14c

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Has cast its withering blight over our entire stock. Smoky fingers have begrimed and sodden streams of dirty water have besmirched the fair face of dainty fabrics. Yet much of the stock will wash, and a little renovating will restore it to its pristine glory. The prices we ask are all out of proportion to the values we give. You never would believe that such elegant goods would sell for so little money. We have placed our entire reserve stock at your disposal for To-Morrow. We quote just a few items, to give you an idea of how low we are selling.

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Oc Men's Fine Merino Half Hose...

Men's suspenders.

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15c SUNDRIES AND NOTIONS

Belding's, 100-yard Spool Silk, worth 10c..... 40 Star Skirt Braid, worth 50..... 1c 5c % Fancy Frilled Elastic, (yard) 2c : 5c 5c W

9-yard Whale Bone Casing, Silk Stitched, worth 25c, at. Butler Milk Soap, 3 cakes in a box, worth 25c per box..... lot of Fine and Dressing Con ly damaged, worth up to 500 your choice at.....

1c Calder's Tooth Powder, worth 25c bottle, at...... 500 Ink and Pencil Tablets, worth 10c, at..... 10c 4c V

No Goods Charged. No Goods Sent C. O. D. No Goods Exchanged. No Money Refunded.

to the world at large the greatest confidence in the credit of the United States.

W. H. Graham, cashier National Bank of the Republic: The people have bid for \$655,000,000 of bonds, which shows there is more gold in the country than the Government needed, and I should say that at least a portion of this vast sum will now be turned into the avenues of trade and make business better. The price of stocks ought to become better and the country benefited generally.

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Geo. A. Baker, President of the Continental National Bank: I think it has proven a wonderful success. It speaks well for the country. It shows the financial resources as being greater than was anticipated. I think it bodes well for the future business interests of the country.

Walker Hill, President of the American Exchange Bank: I think it proves beyond a doubt that confidence has not been vanished from our people, although the free silver men in and out of Congress have been trying by all means known to break down the credit of the Government.

Breckinridge Jones, Vice-President of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co.: I think it will have a very wholesome effect. It reflects the confidence which the masses of the people have in a period of approaching prosperity for this country. The same feeling of confidence is shown by the patrons of the savings depositors throughout the country is an unerring index of public opinion. During the month of January, 1896, the business of the savings department of this company increased more than 25 per cent over the same month in 1856, in the number of accounts opened, in the number of deposits made, in the amount of deposits. The masses of our people know that this country is safe and that the Government's credit is above reproach. The public confidence will show itself in a revival of business in every line.

W. B. Farr, cashier of the Citizens Bank: I think it will be favorable for business. It will restore confidence and will eventually loosen up money. If can only result in a general improvement in every line of business and ever the country. It shows conclusively that there is no lack of confidence in the Government among the people.

J. Simmons of the Simmons Clothing Co.: The flood of bids for bonds shows that there is plenty of money in the United States and will no doubt have a good effect on business. Trade is rather dull at present. ca

there is a tendency at present to increase W. HENRY CRADDY KILLED. there is a tendency at present prices.

J. A. Schriever, wholesale clothier: I have been located here but one year. I have operated in all of the big Eastern cities and find St. Louis a better locality than any. It is solid financially, and country merchanis have confidence in it. Our orders come in faster than we can fill them. We know nothing of a scarcity of money. The remains of bond sale will be a general imnothing of a scarcity of money. The re-sult of bond sale will be a general im-provement in every line of trade.

Albert Loth of the Jeans Clothing Co.: The farmers are a little slow in investing, but the prospects are good. The clamor to buy up the bond issue shows that. There is enough money in the country. Our business is steady and slightly increasing.

The Proposed Bridge,

The Proposed STACE.

Special to The Peet-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—In regard to the petitions presented by Senator Cockrell yesterday containing the protests of citizens in various parts of the United States against the proposed bridge between the north and south boundaries of St. Louis and the Illinois shore, Congressman Bartholdt said this morning that he did not consider the opposition of outside persons of any consequence. He believes the petitions from South St. Louis of more weight than the prayers of citizens of other States.

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Prominent Kentuckian Run Down by Train at Versailles. Graddy, one of the wealthlest men in the blue grass region, was killed by the Louisvill Southern train at Versailles to-day, J. O. Evans, a prominent tobacco man of Danville, was fatally hurt and is expected to die. Mr. Graddy was the principal man in the building of the road on which he was killed.

DAIRYMAN FINED.

The Health Department Begins the War on Milk Factories.

Judge Stevenson fined Jacob Bogele 50
Thursday morning for conducting a nuisance. Bogele, through his attorney, E. F.
Stone, took an appeal.
A fight will be made on the proprietors
of all dairies found in an unclass a

A fight will be made on the proprietors of all dairies found in an unclean condition. Bogele's place is out on the Florissant road.

Dr. Starkloff said Thursday morning that all the dairies would be prosecuted to the bitter end, and that Bogele was only one of many who would be prosecuted for maintaining nuisances.

MADE THREE MOTIONS.

.. 2023 Madison at 1635 N. 17th at thing Tem Walsh's Lawyer Wanted.

HER MAIDEN NAME. Frederick Siekermann Charges That His Wife Clings to it Too Tenaciously.

He accused her of naving an inspectation of the temper and making life miserable for him. He alleges that are also preferred to be known by her maides name and allowed her male equiantances to regard her as a lingle woman. Hrs. flekermann filed a reas hill alleging indicality.

Both lithrank are young, well-to-do and

Dissension in the Republ' Camp at the Kentucky Capital.

DEMOCRATS NOT UNSEATED.

Fear of Retaliation Has Caused the Aggressive Dector to Change His Revolutionary Programma.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. &—Alarmed at the defensive preparations of the Democrats the Republicans have weakened, and instead of starting to-day to unseat Tempkins (Dem.) in favor of Werner (Rep.), deferred the matter on the ground that the Republican majority of the Contest Committee desired to reduce their report to writing. Half a dosen conservative Republicans are behind this. They have threatened to vote against unseating at this time, and their adverse votes would be fatal. It is learned that Hunter, trighteened at the apparent division in his own camp, has consented to let revolutionary measures go for a while.

Two of the strongest and most determined men in Frankfort, Col. Jack China, the well-known turfman, and Capt. Jim Williams, have been appointed Assistant Sergeants-at-arms by the Senate. The minute a Democrat in the House is unseated the Senate will bounce of Republican Senator, and China and Williams will see that they are not allowed to enter the joint assembly to be recognized by the Republican Lieutenant Governor.

It is reported to-day that at the Republican caucus last night Lieut-Gov. Worthingspecial to The Post-Dispatch.
FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 4.—

The Democrate also held a can light, in which the race for Libra reely discussed. Senator Bronstone peech trying to get sound mose ine for Blackburn. He said if the rote for him. Poor would cast the rote, and elect Blackburn. Friend the rote, and elect Blackburn. Friend the rote in the rote for the rote for the rote for the rote.

seed rice equal to that which was produced in Europe.

In Italy he found the rice superior to any that had ever been known on this continent. He discovered that by Italian laws it could not be exported, and I am not ashamed to say that in the interests of agriculture the founder of our party turned smuggler and filled his pockets inside and out with the rice, which he brought to Paris and shipped to Charleston in small packages. It was carefully distributed and attended, and gave us the South Carolina rice which to-day is the finest in the world. When William C. Rives was Minister to France in 1853, he states that in the rooms of the Royal Agricultural Society he saw the prize plow of Thomas Jefferson, which had received a medal from that society while he was Minister.

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renew the distribution of seeds from the Department of Agriculture at Washington at the public expense,
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THEIR BIG KILLING.

Faro Players Arrested on a Charge of Very Sharp Practice.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—On Monday two "sports" from Chicago, giving their names as Harry Parker and James Napier, arrived here and began playing fare as dealt by "Prof." Base Adams on Sixth street. The mea generally quit about even

Watterson on Lincoln.

Hon, Henry Watterson of Louisville, Ky., will deliver his famous lecture on "The Life and Character of Abraham Lincoln," under the anapices and for the benefit of Ransom Post, at Entertainment Hall, on Friday, Feb. 2.

dministrator, with wind Louise Roennigke. St. Louis, Jan. 10, 1896.

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dministratrix, with the will annexed, of Bernhard H. Buten, deceased. RICHARD F. KOSTER, Notary, 3d and Market.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Western Marble and Tile Co. that the undersigned assignee will on Monday, Feb. 10, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as he can be heard, apply to the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, in Court-room No. 1, for a discharge from his trust as assignee of Western Marble and Tile Co.

Western Marble and Tile Co.

P. TATLOR BRYAN.

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby to all creditors and others interested in the call cr

Assignee of Western Marble and Tile Co. St. Louis, Dec. 26, 1895. NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Lorean Mayer, deceased, that I, the undersigned executive of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next.

ELIMASERTH MAYER,
ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1896.

St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1896.

ESTATE of Anna Beyer, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Anna Beyer, Deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 7th day of January, 1896.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one rear after the date of said eletters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 7th day of January, 1896.

Administrator of Anna Beyer, Deceased.

ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 2616 N. Broad-May.

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Ambrose Bender, decessed, that I, the undersigned administrator of anid estate, intend, to designed administrator of anid estate, intend, to the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be the City of St. Louis, and and recorded in the office of the City of St. Louis, in the holden at the Court-house in said city on the first in book 1342, page and court, can and the City of St. Louis, in the holden at the holden

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ESTATE of Eleanora Schlachter, formerly Gutsch, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that lettlers testamentary on the estate of Eleanora Schlachter, formerly Gutsch, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis on the 3d day of Tanuary, 1896.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the test of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 23d day of January, 1896.

Executor of Eleanora Schlachter, formerly Gutach, deceased.

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RICHARD F. KOSTER, Notary, 3d and Market.

Administrator of L. Stanley Lyon's East BICHARD F. KOSTER, Notary, Third and ket street. St. Louis, Jan. 23, 1806.

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Daniel Geary, deceased, that I, the undersigned administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next.

WILLIAM L. BOECKELER,
Administrator of the Estate of Daniel Geary,
RUDOLPH SCHULENBURG, Attorney.

St. Louis, Jan. 16, 1896.

ESTATE of William Nixon, Diceased—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William Nixon, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 18th day of January, 1896.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 18th day of January, 1896.

MISSISSIPPI WALLEY TRUST CO., SSO Administrator of William Nixon, Deceased—Notice is

ESTATE of Henry Overmann, Deceased.

ESTATE of Henry Overmann, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Henry Overmann, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, or the 19th day of January, 1896.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one care after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 18th day of Amalia Overmann, Deceased.

ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3618 N. Broadway.

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Hermann Schlueter, decessed, that it the undersigned, administratrix of suid estate, intend to make a final settlement the City of intend to make a final settlement the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court of thouse in said city on the first Monday of Mr. SCHLUETER, Administratrix of Hermann Schlueter's Estate. BIOHARD F. KOSTER, Notary, Third and Market St. Louis, Jan. 23, 1896.

COMMISSIONER'S Sale in Partition—Margaret A.
Kelly vs. Kate Lyons and John Lyons, 92,875. By
virtue of a decree and order of sale issued by the
Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, in the above cause
of date July 12, 1895, the undersigned, as special
commissioner. will sell according to law. 83
public auction, to the highest bidder, at the east
front door of the Court-house, City of St. Leuis, on
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front door of the Court-house. City of St. Lottles.

15TH DAY OF FERRUARY, 1886, between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., the following erty, situated in the City of St. Louis and St. Missouri, to-wit. Lots numbered 1, 2 and block numbered 10 of Watson's Fruit Hill division of the 10 of St. Louis, Missouri, amended plat thereof, on record in the office Recorder of Deeds for said city, said block bered 10 being now city block numbered 33-6 lots having an aggregate front of 175 feet inches, more or fess, on the south size of the 10 of 1

LEAP YEAR FESTIVITIES.

The Young Ladies Still Persist in Keeping all Their Amusements to Themselves.

and Mrs. J. B. Henderson, formerly Hom and Mrs. J. B. Henderson, formerly of St. Louis, have one of the handsomest homes in Washington City, and Mrs. Henderson is pre-aminent among the delightful entertainers of the capital; original in her ideas for decorations and withal a hostess who understands thoroughly the arts of the culsins. She, therefore, may be relied on to provide her guests a delightful menu.

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At a "rose dinner," given last Friday evening to Mr. George B. Leighton of this city to meet the Russian Minister, Mr. Rotechue, and Hon. Andrew White, some new features were presented, which will be of interest to the hestess ambitious to excel in this polite art.

In the center of hes superb dining-room was set a circular table covered with a moss green cloth of satin. Beneath the chandelier, in which the numerous lights were shaded by green and rose pink satin shades, was formed a circular mass of ferns, the maiden hair predominating. At each guest's plate was set a cut-glass vascholding three American beauty roses, thus forming a circle of roses.

A second rose circle was formed by porcelain rose vases which held the menu cards, hand-painted, and tied with pink and green ribbons. No linen was used, for the napikins were of green-silk, hemstitched and embroidered with the monogram of the host and hostess.

Add to this the Venitian wine glasses in red and green cioth and one can imagine the exquisite picture produced.

The dinner service was superb, the fish and game sets being works of art, and the dessert was served upon a set of plates collected by Mrs. Honderson herself in Europe from the finest art conservatories. Covers were laid for eighteen persons.

The ladies do not propose to lose anything in the way of pleasure this year by reason of any backwardness in availing themselves of their Leap Year perogatives. They have had luncheons and teta galore, all to themselves, and a few days ago Miss Hester Laughlin gave a progressive breakfast to twenty-four of her young lady friends.

They have had no "rarebit" parties yet, for somehow, in order to secure absolute success, it is necessary to have at least one or two men present.

A "Leap Year Club" was organized last week by Mrs. Ed Mallinekrodt and Mrs. James L. Blair and very swell balls will be given by the ladies of the club

Feb. 12 at the Arcade Hall, in Carnane place.

Maj. Lawrence Butler and his daughter, Miss Lavinia Butler, have issued cards for a reception Feb. 17.

Miss Mae Short gave a box party at the Olympic on Monday evening, complimentary to Miss Olive Woodson of St. Joe, Mo., and the Misses Duross. It was followed by a supper at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

The Misses Ferriss of West Belle place gave a large progressive euchre party on Monday evening, supplemented by a dance.

Miss Emma Whittaker gave a breakfast to her young lady friends on Tuesday at 12 o'clock.

12 o'clock.

Mrs. Henry Siekmeier gave a ladies' tea
on Tuesday afternoon.
On Wednesday evening Miss Ida Mellier
gave a dance in compliment to her guests,
Miss Matherson and Miss Wheaton of New York.
The Misses Chipley gave an evening recep-tion on Wednesday, assisted by Miss Pau-

tion on Wednesday, assisted by Miss Pauline Wilson.

Miss Maude Stockton, assisted by Mrs.
William Miltenberger, entertained the
1896 Club on Wednesday evening at the
West End Hotel.
On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Exra Linley gave a luncheon to a party of her lady
friends.

Mrs. G. W. Chadbourne, assisted by her
daughters, Miss Chadbourne and Mrs.
William M. Houser, gave a reception on
Thursday afternoon.

Gossip.

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Mrs. Dr. Browne and children, who have been spending the fall season in the city, left yesterday to spend a couple of months at Pass Christian. Dr. Browne will remain in the city.

Miss Grace Allen of Pittsfield, Mass., who has been visiting Miss Annie Donaldson, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hopkins, are visiting at their old home in Cleveland, O. Theywent on to attend the marriage of Miss Annia Laura Barber, daughter of the wealthy match manufacturer of Barberton, O., which was celebrated Feb. S. Miss Robinson of Chicago, who was recently a guest of Miss Hopkins, was maid of honor. The groom was Dr. Arthur Dean Bevan of Chicago.

Mrs. W. H. Ormes left on Tuesday for the South and will join her husband, who is located at Palm Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Wardell, Mrs. Anne Wardell and daughter, Miss Flossie Wardell, are spending a week in the city visiting old friends.

Mrs. Jame Fordyce, after a month's visit to Washington City, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Battle, accompanied by their niece, Miss Clyde Rhodes, will leave the latter part of the week for New Orleans, where Miss Rhodes will serve as bridemaid for her friend, Miss Carey, Feb. 12. The whole party will remain for the carnival.

Mrs. L. M. Rumsey has remained in the city longer than she anticipated, owing to the midness of the winter. She left, however, on Sunday evening for Pasadens, Cal., accompanied by her daughter, Miss Evadne Rumsey, for whose health she undertakes the Journey. She will be gone three months.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Boyd, who have been domiciled quring the winter at Hotel Beers, have gone to New York City to spend a couple of weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Aloe, who were forced to abandon their plans for their honeymoon; returned to the dity after a ahort visit to New York and Washington City, and are now at the West End Hotel.

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Mrs. John L. Spalding of the South Side
will leave with a party of ladies next week
for New Orleans to enjoy the carnival.

Miss May. Alice McLaran, who has been
in the city for the past month accompanied Mrs. Moses Rumsey to Europe and
will spend several months in Dresdea with
her niece, who is there at school. Mrs.
Rumsey and daughters will also make
Dresden their hendquarters for several
months.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore De Forest are in

This Is Apparently an Absurd Conundrum.

There May Be Two Sides Even to a Fool

At a recent meeting of medical experts the

apparently absurd question was propou Which has the better chance of life, a sick or a well person? At first it looked ridiculous, but after

earnest discussion it was unanimously de-cided that an ordinary sick man had a better chance to live than the well man. Why?

Few people are dangerously sick; the majority of sick people are those who are slightly out of health, run down, out of order, exhausted in nerve and physical power from overwork, dissipation or other cause. For every dangerously sick person there are ninety-nine whose cases can be easily and readlly cured.

In that lies the reason. The ninety-nine who are slightly sick, who have some weakness or are out of order, know of their weakness and debility and have the sense to take care of themselves and seek an immediate cure.

and seek an immediate cure.

Of one hundred well persons the majority are careless, depending too much upon their good health, until by exposure, over-work or dissipation, some weakness or disease is developed which may carry them off quickly. So it is that the ninety-nine careful sick people have a better chance of living than the one hundred careless well persons.

The first thing a sick person decides is to get well. Naturally, also, such a person desires the best and quickest means of cure and common sense dictates the use of such

desires me best and quickest means of cure and common sense dictates the use of such a valuable and reputable medicine as Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Every sufferer knows from the experience of thousands upon thousands of others, whose testimonials of cure are continually appearance in the sufficiency and th ing in every paper, that this well known and proven restorative is the surest and most positive cure—that the very name of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is a synonym for power, vigor and strength, and that its use will certainly make the sick well and give to the weak, nervous and debilitated all their old time health, er spirits, and ambition.

Mrs. A. P. Prescott of Swiftwater, N. H.

"My husband has been very sick and was confined to his bed for five months, and all that time I took care of him night and day, and gave him all his medicine. During his and gave him all his medicine. During his long sickness I become almost worn out and fell into a state of nervousness. I got so that I could not sleep, and when I lay down my limbs would twitch and I had an awful pain in the back of my head so that I was obliged to got win to the next sand unit such obliged to get up in the night and put mus-tard poulticed on the spot to relieve it.

"I think if I had not found relief I should

have been insane. But I did get relief in Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. I saw it advertised and heard of it through my friends, and I got three bottles and was completely relieved, so that I slept

well and ate well.
"I certainly think I never should have kept it up if it had not been for Dr. Greene'. Nervura, and I can truly say it is a wonder Nervura, and I can truly say it is a wonder-fully good medicine and recommend it to all. I attribute my present good health and my being able to go through what I have to Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy." Understand that Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is a physician's prescription, the discovery of that most successful specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene of 35 West 14th street, New York City, who can be consulted free of charge, personally or by letter.

to the city has been the occasion for num-erous social functions, will remain two weeks longer, and is now with her cousin, Mrs. Oliver Garrison of Westminster place, Mrs. George Jones gave a suchre party in her honor last week. Mrs. Annie E. Warren, who has been make

weeks longer, and is now with her cousin, Mrs. Oliver Garrison of Westminster place, Mrs. George Jones gave a suchre party in her honor last week.

Mrs. Annie E. Warren, who has been making a visit to her son, Mr. Thomas B. Warren of Lexington, Ky. has gone to New York City with him to meet Mr. Guy S. Warren, who has been spending a couple of months in the Bermuda Islands, and is now expected home.

Mrs. Cassius Rebinson is now residing in Denver, Colo., with her ohildren, where she has been islaned by her mother, Mrs. Parker of this city, who will remain with her for several months.

Mrs. William R. Caswell has gone to Chicago for a visit of a few days.

Mr, and Mrs. Hamilton Daughaday return this week from a short visit to their daughter, Mrs. Tracey Corey Drake, who will sail with her husband for Europe Feb. 15. Mrs. Drake has entirely recovered her health after a long illness.

Judge and Mrs. Clover, who have been spending the winter at the Lindell Hotel, have gone South to spend a cauple of months.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dixon and daughters are spending a week in Chicago.

Mrs. Strother, who with her husband, is residing this winter at Hotel Beers, is quite seriously ill from an attack of pneumonis.

Miss Mary Good will leave next week to spend several weeks with her relatives in Virginia.

Mrs. Och R. Neville is spending the week in the city, Mrs. Neville spent has week with Mrs. Charles Greeley, and ms returned to Carthage.

Mrs. Wm. Booth and her daughters, Mrs. Louise A Hunt and Miss Fannie Booth, will spend a month at St. Augustine, Fla. They left Monday evening for the South. Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Woolery, former residents of this city, have been spending the past week here visiting old friends. They are accompanied by their daughter.

Mrs. Dewey, of Chicago, who has been spending several weeks with-airs Grace Leavenworth, has been delightfully entertained during her stay in the city, and has now returned to her home in Chicago.

Mrs. L. B. Valliant has gone to Greenville, Miss., to spend a month with he

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550 Gown's and Skirts, hemstitched cambric ruffle gown, embroidered yoke, SMOKED AND WET, worth 75c	390
700 Gowns and Skirts of the finest muslin garments, worth up to \$1.25, more or less damaged	490
550 Gowns, in many styles, in cambric and muslin; also extra sizes, beautifully trimmed, damaged, mussed and wet, all go at	68
450 Fine Cambric Night Dresses, Empire, trimmed in dainty embroidery and laces, worth \$2.00, wet, smoked, solled, but will wash	986
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Lurie's Silks Were Covered by the Salvage Corps and None Were Damaged.				
SILKS	-75 pieces Colored Gaufre Crepes, full line of colors, Lurie's price 35c. Fire Sale Price			
SILKS	-20 pieces Colored and Black Pekin Striped Satin, Lurie's price 49c. 29			
SILKS	-20 pieces Figured Black Japanese Silks, 22 inches wide, Lurie's price 59c. Fire Sale Price 39			
SIFKZ	-6 pieces 24-inch Black Satin Rhadame, all silk, Lurie's price 79c. 59 Fire Sale Price			
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Lurie's Dress Goods Were Only Mussed in Removing. None Were Wet or Smoked. DRESS -92 pieces double width Jacquards, solid colors, navy blue, green, gray, tan, brown, etc., 8 yards a full dress GOODS

DRESS -33 pieces All-Wool French Figured Fancles

We will offer Friday a lot of Remnants Dress Goods, damaged

in a full line of colorings.

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to 100-yard Black 2c 10c dozen Cedar Lead Pencils, 3c

10c Nickel-plate Curling Irons, 6c dozen Safety 2¢ pattern, Lurie's price \$2.00.
Fire Sale Price \$1.00, or per yard, 10c box Writing Paper and Enve lopes. ** 5c

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2 cases good heavy Crochet Quilts, Lurie's price 78c, Fire Sale Price, 000 yards best Kid Finished LACE CURTAINS.

DOMESTICS.

Damage is hardly noticed—rare bargains 100 Brusseline Rugs, 30x80, only a 29G little soiled, Lurie's price esc.
Fire Sale Price 280 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, only the papers got wet. Lurie's price &c. 65C pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains. 275 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains. 3½ yards long, heavy antique and lace effects—these are nice and clean—Lurie's price \$1.75, Fire Sale Price, a pair.

LINENS, DOMESTICS.

50 pieces Extra Heavy All-Linen Bleached Crash, Lurie's price 74c, Fire Sale Price

50 pieces Turkey Red Damask, Lurie's price 20c, Fire Sale Price

175 dozen Extra Heavy All-Linen Towels, Lurie's price 15c, Fire Sale Price

188 pieces good heavy Ticking, Lurie's price 18c. Fire Sale Price

127 pieces Hill's and Lonsdale 4-4 Muslin, Lurie's price 9c, Fire Sale Price

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A large part of this stock quite perfect

100 pairs heavy Chenille Portieres, wide dado top and bottom and figured all over, only the least bit solled, Lurie's \$3.95 price \$10, Fire Salp Price, pr. WASH GOODS. 6000 yards Dress Gingham, Lurie's price 84c yd., Fire Sale Price. 85 pieces of Cotton Serge, Lurie's price 10c yard, Fire Sale Price.

LACES, EMBROIDERIES. Fire Sale Price 5 pieces Hamburg Emb Lurie's price 20c, Fire Sale Price

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HOUSE FURNISHINGS BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS



Hardwood Center 29c Fancy Feather Dus-ters, worth 20c



aged in fitting on, worth up to \$1.25 pair 290 DAMAGED SHIRTS.

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At IO A. M. FRIDAY.

700 pairs, slightly dam-

more or less damaged. Lot Men's Wool and Percale Shirts, damaged; perfect price, 59c; Fire Sale Price.....

Lot Men's Scotch Flannel Shirts, worth 51 to \$1.50; Fire Sale Price.... Lot Men's Extra Heavy Flannel Shirts, worth \$1.75 to \$2.50; Fire Sale Price......

Lot Men's Percale Shirts and Mad-ras Cloth Shirts, worth \$1; all per-fect; Fire Sale Price No country orders filled for damaged shirts.

RIBBONS.

1750 Ribbons, all widths and colors, regular value up to 10c; Fire Sale Price (yard) 1275 yds Fancy Ribbons, 6 to 8 inches wide, regular value 38c Fire Sale Price....

BLACK GOODS.

This offering is absolutely unto by fire or water. 23 pcs 86-in/ All-wool French Hen and All-wool French Serge, Lurie's price 500; Fise Sale Price. Only \$2.00 Dress Pattern.

17 pcs 45-in. extra fine All-wool French Serge, Larie's price 63c; Fire Sale Price Only \$2.34 Dress Pattern.

CLOAKING REMNANTS.

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Mrs. Marmaduke has returned from Kansas City, where she has been visiting her daughter. Mrs. Pierce, formerly a resident of this city. The occasion of Mrs. Marmaduke's visit was a large reception which Mrs. Pierce gave last week, introducing her young daughters.

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Mrs. George F. Bergfeld and little son are now in Ban Antonio, Tex., where she will remain until the middle of March. She was accompanied by Mrs. C. H. Spencer and daughter.

Mrs. A. B. Thompson and family, including Mrs. A. B. Thompson and family from Bessemer, Ala.

Mrs. A. B. Thompson and family, including Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sessions and little daughter. Elizabeth, are residing at 227 Lucas avenue and are at home to their friends on Monday afternoons.

Mrs. Harry Deckert of 400 Lincoln avenue gave a cuchre party Tuesday night.

Mr. C. A. Timewell has gone to Indianapolis, having been appointed General Manager of the Standard Trust Co. for the State of Indiana. He is residing with his mother, but will visit St. Louis friends in March.

The Music, Cards and Dancing Club was entertained by Mrs. Otto Mersman of Vandeventer avenue. Cards was the svening's entertainment.

Mrs. Ada Metcalf and two daughters.

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Mrs. Ada Metcalf and two daughters,
Grace and Mabelle, who have been residing at "The Windeck," will leave soon for
New York City. The former will study for
the opera stage and the latter for the

St. Joseph, Edith Fuss. Marie Reine and Katherine Duross being the guests. The table was lavishly decked with American Beauty roses.

Mr. W. Cunningham, accompanied by his daughter and niece, Miss Eloise Nickels, all of Hannibal, are spending a few days in St. Louis.

Maj. Lawrence Butler and daughter, Miss Lavina, have issued invitations for an evening reception on Feb. 17, to both gentlemen and ladies.

A handsome reception was given by Mrs. Henry Sikemeier of 4510 Weet Belle place on Tuesday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock, to ladies only, most of the guests being married ladies with a sprinking of young girls. Mrs. Sikemeier received her guests gowned in an elegant robe of pink brocade, the long court train made perfectly plain and the round neck edged with white ostrich tips, a handsome necklet of rose diamonds were clasped about her slender throat, and a magnificent sun-burst of the same gems fastened the front of her bodice. Mrs. Graves, clad in a white brocaded satin with graniture of point duchesse lase, and Mrs. Morrison in an imported gown of old pink satin with a figure of black funning through the brocade, and garniture of pink chilfion were also of the fecciving party. The reception rooms were decked with potted plants, and wreaths of smilaz, pink being the color scheme. of the decorations, the banquet chamber being banked about the walls with masses of green, relieved by masses of daybreak carnations, which formed the center plece of the table. A mandolin and guitar band, stationed behind a bank of evergreens in the hall, discoursed sweet music during the entire evening. The birthday tea, which will take place at Jefferson Hall this afternoon from 1 to 6 o'clock, will be a great success Judging from the number of bags which have been returned filled with pounds. Ars. Is a Manis of this city, who has been visiting friends in Little Rock, Ark, was married on Monday to Mr. Rush Barnes, a resident of Little Rock.

A party including Mr. and Mrs. Thomas wardell, Misses Ann and Flossy Wardell and Mrs. J.

McInnis, Messrs, Eugene C. Harney, Harry Bernum, Will and Gus Ferguson, Frank Lewis and Gus Randolph being among the guests.

Arrangements have been completed by the Queen's Daughters of the South Side for the first progressive euchre party of the season, which will take place at Liederkrans Hall on Feb. 13, at 8 o'clock in the evening. Mrs. P. M. Butler, Misses Quirk and Ames have charge of the entertainment.

Ames, Marie H. and O. H. Bollman will receive their friends on Wednesday at No. 3455 Hawthorns boulevard.

Miss Blanche Dillon of New York will shortly arrive to spend several weeks with her sister, Mrs. McDonald, and other St. Louis relatives.

Miss Floy Dyer of 4552 Delmar boulevard is entertaining her cousin, Miss Bertie Barnet; of Bonham, Tex.

An enjoyable leap year party was given by Miss Millie Well of 1020 Mississippl avenue to the ladies and gentlemen of the Prospect Club the first of the week. One of the foatures of the entertainment was a guessing match, the first prize being won by Miss Gertie Rosenberg, and the first gentlemen's prize being won by Mr. B. H. Marcus. The ladies called for their escorts in a picnic car, each of the girls wearing a mask which concealed her identity, thereby causing a great deal of merriment. Miss woll's home was prettily decorated for the occasion, pale blue being she predominating color, and a delightful supper was served at II o'clock in the evening, after which the young folks kept up the dancing until the wes smal hours.

Judge E. H. Nooman gave a box party at the Grand Opera House in honor of his daughter, Miss Zos, and her schoolmates, Misses Lillian Beymour, Ollvia Ghlo, Edna Funston and Edna McGinnis, chaperoned by Mis graduate from the Lovente Convent in June and make their debut into society the contains and society development of the convent in June and make their debut into society the contains and society and society the contains and society and society the contains and society the contains and society the contains and society and society the contai

Funston and Richa McGinnis, chaperoned Mrs. J. L. Ghio. Each of the young lad will graduate from the Lorette Convent June and make their debut into society coming season.

Mrs. Tom Montgomery will leave no week for Indianapolis to spend ten da or a fortnight as the guest of friends.

Mrs. Wright, nee Miss Hailie Hines. still the guest of her parenta, Mr. and Mr. W. H. Hines of 1815 Lucas place, Mr. Hines and daughter having just returner from a delightful visit to Atlanta and other parts of the South.

Mrs. John A. Dillon, who has been spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Jesse McDonald, remained a few days longer than she originally incended to see her son, Mr. Jack Dillon, who returned to the city this week. Mrs. Dillon will leave for her home in Orange, N. J., the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Sallie F. Anderson, widow

Kalert—Hickel.

The nupitals of Mr. John Halert to Miss Mamie Hickel, daughter of Mr. Joseph Hickel, took place at 88. Peter and Paul Church Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, Rev. Groil officiating.

The bride was gowned in ivory satin trimmed in duchess lace and carried white carnations and hyacinths, the bridal veliof white tulle being fastened by a diamond brooch, the gift of the groom. Miss Heien Hickel, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mr. John Connell was the groom's best man.

The bridemaids, Miss Ciliz Krings and Miss Louise Koehm, wore gowns of pink made with Marie Antoinette fichus of lace and carried pink carnations.

The groomsmen were Messra Geo. Hannauer and Edward Kroeger.

In the svening a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 76 Lafaystic avenue.

WITH THE PLAYER-FOLK.

The "Slaves of Gold" will be at Havlin's

tically of the new hits he is preparing for the occasion.

Mr. William Hoely, Old Hoas, comes to the Olympic Theater Sunday night for a week's engagement in a new arth presenting a new play called "The Globe Trotter," and eppearing not only as Old Hoss, but incidentally as a deaf and dumb old woman and an English swell. Hoey has studied pantomine during the past summer in Paris, so it is said, with three well-known masters of that art, and comes this year a full fadged pantomimist, providing more laughter during his silent moments than he was ever able to do in the noisy days of "The Parior Match." Sale of seats now open.

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The advance cale for the Henry Irvi engagement at the Grand Opera-house reaching the record mark. Manager McMa us thinks that before the curtain goes Monday night the house will be sold out for the week. It takes a small fortune to go on a play after the Irving method. Best the actors the company carries a train corps of supernumeraries, each of who has an individual role to carry out in the making of the stage pictures. Then the is a chorus and orchestra, for music play an important part in Mr. Irving's professions. Almost as important as any cast these is an army of trained some handless.

OUNTANT-Wanted, set of books to keep by an accountant; reférences No. 1; salary mod. Add. F 966, this office. Add. W 1, this office.

OY-Boy of 18, graduate of the High Schwants work of some kind. Add. W 532,

COOK.—Situation wanted by man and wife; go cook; can fill any place; we want work; rel add, 1131 N. 12th and Madison sts. DACHMAN—Thoroughly experienced young was wants situation; well acquainted in the Add. K 2, this office. CARPENTER-Wanted, work of any kind by carpenter; a good jobber and repairer. Davi 1802 Hogan st. COLLECTOR-Wanted, situation as collector of clerk in retail store by young man of 21; will leave the city; refs. Add. C 582, this office.

COACHMAN—Wanted, situation as coachman gardener, in city or country; first-class re-naderstands his business. H., 3623 Clark av. CARPENTER-First-class carpenter wants jobbing, will work for \$1.50 a day, or by the job; good at repairing furniture. Add. Carpenter, 309 N. 12th st.

MAN-Young man wants position of some kind saloon preferred. Add. W 2, this office. MAN-Wanted, young man of 18 years wishes p tion as delivery driver. Add. H 2, this office. MAN—An Irishman of 50 and sober wants work doing chores and working about house. Add. S 2

MAN—Wanted, position by competent white man, honest, sober, industrious, to attend horses, cows, yard, garden, furnace, etc.; best city refs. Add. R 8, this office. MAN—Competent office man, married, soher, seek employment of some kind; willing to collect of commission. A. Cole, 112 S. 7th st.

MAN—Wanted, situation in furniture house; 8 years experience; Burlaping and handling furniture apply C. E. F., 1004 Chambers st. MAN-Wanted, situation; honest, sober indus trious; good gardener; care of borses, cows, va hicles, furnace and do housework. Add. T 2, this office.

MAN-Situation wanted by an experienced young man in the clothing business, who also under-stands bookkeeping; refs. given. Add. B 2, this office.

MAN—Responsible young man with good family connections seeks office position of any kind; salary immaterial; several years' experience; bond, add. O 532, this office.

PATTERNMAKER—Situation wanted by your patternmaker; good hand. Add. A 530, this office PORTEB—Wanted, position as porter in a carp store by a young man of 21, well acquainted St. Louis. Add. 220 W. 7th st., Alton, Ill.

BALESMAN—Situation wanted by traveling sales man; Southern States and Texas; large acquaint ance; St. Louis refs.; seeds, implements or anything else that is a seller in the regular lines. IS., 517 Lafayette st., Danville, Ill. WINDOW DRESSER—Wanted, by an experienced window dresser and sign writer, who is also Al salesman, a situation; references. Add. P 2, this office.

HELP WANTED-MALE

APPRENTICES WANTED—To learn the bar trade; eight weeks required; job guarante illustrated catalogue free. St. Louis Bar-College, 519 N. 9th st.

BOY WANTED—A neatly dressed colored boy, about 10 years old, who can read and write. Call room BARBER WANTED-First-class white barber; take charge of ahop. Add. Lock Box U, Coulterville, III.

BOY-Situation wanted by colored boy of 19 to attend to horse and cows around place. 2336 Wash st.

BOY WANTED—A boy to do chores around boarding house; a good home; no wages. 141 BOY WANTED—A neatly dressed colored boy, about 10 years old, who can read and write. Call room 201. Odd Fellow's building. BOY WANTED—Boy, in newspaper office, about 1 years of age, neat and intelligent. Apply is own handwriting to R 1, this office.

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—First-class experience bookheeper; state refs. and salary. Add. O this office. CLERK WANTED—Experienced grocery clerk; one not afraid of work. Add. C 8, this office.

CUTTERS WANTED—Shoe cutter and trimmin cutter. Versteeg-Grant Shoe Co., 811 N 2d st. DRIVER WANTED—A good laundry driver. Apply at once. Address D 3, this office. HARNESS CLEANER WANTED—Harness cleaner and buggy washer. Apply 1917 S. Jefferson av. HARNESSMAKERS WANTED—Good harnessmakers; also some good harness stitchers. P. Burnett Co., 705 and 707 Lucas av.

LABORERS WANTED—Two laborers with shovel and wheelbarrows at 4213 Castleman av. Incupstairs Friday morning. MEN WANTED—German men of good address a room 54, 418% Olive st.

MEN WANTED—Three good men to sell our 5-ber lunches, 214 and 216 Pine st. MEN WANTED—First-class Goodyear stockers a The Brown Shoe Co., 7th and St. Charles sta 4th floor. BALESMEN WANTED—If you want money we want you. 1180 Washington av. SALESMAN WANTED—Young man, shoe sales-man, for Saturday evenings. Address N S, this office.

SALESMEN WANTED—Traveling salesmen to sell to dealers; \$100 monthly and expenses; extraor-dinary inducements; experience unnecessary. Acme Cigar Co., Chicago. TEAMS WANTED—10 teams, 20th and Montgor ery, Friday morning. M. Kinealy. TINNER WANTED-Tinner and belper. 8849 S

TINNER WANTED—A tinner for the country must be sober; also competent to clerk in store sef, required. Cell at Grand Hotel, cor. 9th and Thestnut, from 8 till 6 this afternoon. \$3.00 UP-Pants to order, Meerits Tailoring

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airs work or assist in housework. Add/ E SEWORK-Wasted, situation for general sework in small family. Call at 815 N. 23d st IOUSEKERPER—Lady wishes a position as house-keeper or some other pleasant day work. Call r write 816 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by young was to do general housework; city or country; wash. 824 N. 15th st. OSEKEEPER-Young widow, with one child would like position as housekeeper. Add. S 1

OUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by a respectable German girl to assist in general housework coarding house or restaurant. 2212 N. Broadway AOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, sit. as houseker a lady, with boy of 10; widower or couple; best city ref. 1728 Washington av. OUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by a girl to de general honsework; refs. if required; no postals nawered. Call 1237 Old Manchester rd., upstairs. OUSEWORK—Situation wanted by a woman with child 7 years old to do generators. Address L. W., 3215 Laclede av. OUSEKEEPER—A lady wants sit. to keep ho or nice gentleman, or in hotel; good manag derstands business. Call at 1715 Market st.

AUNDRESS-Wanted, washing to take he go out by the day. 1207 Walton av. URSEGIRI-Wanted, situation as housegirl. Apply 2710 Hickory st.

URSE—Situation as wet nurse by an intelligen and refined colored woman. Call or write t arrie Smith, 1538 Austin st. FFICE WORK-Woman would like office worl of some kind; mend postal to 2650 Morgan st. SEAMSTRESS.—Competent seamstress wiftee sew ing in families; children's clothes and white sew ng. 8223 Lecust st.

SEAMSTRESS Wanted, by competent seamstre sewing in private family; 3 or 4 days a we Add. 3454 Park av. SEAMSTRESS—Young lady desires a situation a seemstress in a family, or to do sewing by than; children's clothes a specialty; terms reasonable. 1440 S. 18th st. SEAMSTRESS—Wanted, work in families by fire class cutter and fitter. 2924 Olive et.

WOMAN—A young woman would like work cleaning of any kind by the day. Call or lress 1418 Wash at. STOVE REPAIRS. Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges ery description. J. FORSHAW, 111 N. 12th st.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE.

OOKKEEPER WANTED—A lady that under stands bookkeeping and general office work; state alary expected. Add. S 3, this office. OOK WANTED-A good cook, to do general work; no washing or troping. 4175 Washing OOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron and keep house. 3922 Delmar av. OOK WANTED-A good cook at 913 Franklin av. HAMBERMAID WANTED—A good chambermaid 1416 Washington av. CHAMBERMAIDS WANTED-Two good, white chambermaids. St. James Hotel. COOK WANTED—Colored cook; none but competent need apply. 2351 Chestnut st. COOK. WANTED-First-class cook, white, with DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED-First-class din ing-room girl; none other need apply. GIRLS WANTED—Girl on folding machine and on on skiving machine. V.-G. Shoe Factory, 81: N. 2d st. OUSEGIRL WANTED Good girl for gene housework; small family. 2816 Marcus av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general house work. 1813 Case av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; ne washing. 1722 Missouri av. QUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family, 5924 Horton pl. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl for general he work; small family. 1112 S. 18th st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl to general housework. Apply at 911 N. High st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. Apply at 1119 Franklin av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Half-grown German gir to assist in housework and care of child. 226 Cass av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework amall family; refs. required. 3800 Windsor pl. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general house work. Apply at Columbia and King's highway. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general house work; small family; good wages. 5020 Etzel av. ake Page av. car. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Giri for housework an care of children; no laundry work; four in fam illy; take Suburban car, 6132 Gambleton pl. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general ho work; must understand cooking; German terred. 3640 Garfield av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Young girl or elderly woman at once for small family; good home; no men. Call in forenoon. 2000 Armond st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl not ever 16 to nurs and assist at housework; bring refs. 43314 Syans av.

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PARTNER WANTED—Partner in rejail shoe bust ness, energetic young man preferred; reference exchanged; \$5,000 to \$10,000 capital required; best ocation in St. Louis. Address M 3, this office. PARTNER WANTED—By responsible business may young widow partner, with a few hundred dollar to invest at 25 per cent; secured. Add. E 3, the

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Lost. DOG-Lost, yellow dog, Collie, white paws. Reward paid; 4033 Westminster pl. OG-\$5 Reward-Irish setter, dark-red color, few white hairs on breast; hair on fianks and tal arly; answers name of Major. 3100 Lucas av. GOLD BUCGLE-Lost, gold buckle, set wit twenty diamonds. Finder please call or sen word to 3758 Pine st. and receive reward.

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MEAT MARKET-Wanted, to buy a meat market for cash. Add. E 534, this office.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

ARBER SHOP—For sale, three-chair barber she price \$200. Add. L 1. this office.

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GHEST cash price paid for household goods and eathers. M. Durnin, 107 N. 12th st.

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VAGONS—Wanted, 3 2-horse stake wagons. Add C 2, this office. . For Sale.

BROUGHAM—For sale, three-quarter brougham, used but a few times; will sell cheap. Add. G 2, this office. CARBIAGES—New and 2d-hand open and top was ons, sucreys, phaetons, storm buggies; monthly payments. Northwestern Buggy Co., 1110 N. B'way HORSE AND HARNESS, ETC.—For sale, horse and harness, gig. buggy or spring wagon; \$50. Inquire or add. 1122 S. Compton av., 2d floor. MARE, BUGGY AND HARNESS—For sale, a good and gentle black mare, buggy and harness; any lady can drive. 1121 N. Channing av. PONT-For sale, one stylish saddle pony, 15 band high and good driver. Call at Griesedieck artifi-cial Ica Co.

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EASTON AV., 3327—To couple, with best board, large front room; \$3.50 week each.

GARRISON AV., 415A N.—Pleasant front room, upstairs, with board; steam heat.

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CHOUTEAU AV., 948—Private hotel, boarding or rooming house; 22 rooms, partly furnished; steam heat; good location. CASS AV., 3005-S rooms and bath; reduced to \$28. Carter & McLanaban.
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T. T. TURNEE, President J. C. CABANNE, Secretary. STOCKHOLDERS' Meeting—Office of the Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago R. E. Co., St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30, 1896.—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Kansas City, St./Louis and Chicago Railroad Company will be beld at the office of the company, S11 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo., on Toesday, March 10, 1806, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the election of nine directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before them.

JOHN J. MITCHELL, President.

H. W. PHELPS, Secretary.

THE regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the State Bank of Sa Louis will be held at its banking rdoms, southwest corner of Fourth and Locust streets, on Monday the tenth day of February, for the election of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 12m.

CHARLES PARSONS, President.

JOHN H. M'CLUNEY, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE REAL ESTATE BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION NO. 2, 708 Chestnust, St., Louis, Mo., Feb. 3, 1896.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Real Estate Building and Loan Association No. 2 for the election of thirteen directors and the transaction of special of the constant section of special theorem of the control of the section of the section of special theorem of the section o

WILLIAM ZINK, Secretary.

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he Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to olden at the Court House in said city on the i londay of March next.

JOHANNA POTTSTOCK, Executrix of Henry Pottstock, decease RICHARD F. KOSTER, Notary, 3d and Mark St. Louis, Jan. 23, 1896. see thousand shares and upwards at 2 cents ter share, limited to Wednesday, 10th inst.; less owned claims on Nipple Mountain one sharft in 3 foot rein of 22 to 435 ore, and one leased sharft in 3 foot rein of 22 to 435 ore, and one leased laim on Gold Hill, midway between and en same ein as New Moon and C. O. D. present heavy ore roducers; this is a new property; maps and ther particulars on application. Apply immediately of J. McCann, correspondent of company, 1011 of the complex of the state of James Fitzgerald, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the hereby given that letters testamen

and letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 16th day of January, 1856.

Executrix of James Fitgerald, deceased. NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of John P. Brinkmeyer, deceased, that i, the undersigned administrator, c. t. a., of said estate, instead to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next.

HENNEY BRINKMEYER,

Administrator, c. t. a., of John F. Brinkmeyer,
Deceased.

ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway. St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1896. make a final settlement thereof, at the sa of the Probate Court of the City of St. Le se holden at the Court-house in said city rat Monday of March next.

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Only Needs the President's Signature to Prevent the Mill Being Brought Off in New Mexico.

bouts scheduled in the Stuart carnival.

The authorities in advance of the law's signature will not say what course they will take to prevent its violation, but express absolute confidence that the fight will not take place on United States soil after the act is signed by the President. The Governor of New Mexico is in hearty sympathy with the movement to break up the fights, and the Catron bill was framed largely at his suggestion in order to stop them. It is very probable the United States District Attorney and Marshal for New Mexico would be instructed promptly to see the fight did not take place of and to enforce the law rigorously against abettors and participants should an attempt be made to pull off the fight, notwithstanding the law.

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IDENTIFIED BY A PICTURE.

H. G. Loudon's Companion Said to Be Mrs. Treese of Bellwood, Pa.

H. G. Loudon, son of D. M. Loudon, who was found dead at 2650 Pine street last Sunday, received a telegram at the Coroner's office Thursday from Altoona saying that a warrant will be sworn out against Mrs. Annie Treese, who is thought to be the mysterious woman in the Loudon case.

"Mr. Heinzling is my attorney," said H. G. Loudon to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "I suggested that a warrant against Mrs. Treese be issued, and this was done. I will wire him immediately to withdraw the warrant, as I now do not care to have one issued. I will send to Bellwood, Pr., and get Mrs. Treese's sworn statement."

H. G. Loudon and his brother-in-law H. C. Potter, arrived here from Altoona Wednesday night. They had a photograph of Mrs. Treese, which was shown to the keepers of the boarding-house at 2550 Pine. They said it bore a remarkable likeness to the woman who stopped there with Loudon.

Mrs. Treese is married and lives with her husband, Archibald Treese, in Bellwood, Pa. She denied having come to St. Louis with Loudon whon equestioned Wednesday by Chief of Police Cherry of Altoona.

Mrs. Treese said that Loudon was a warm personal friend of hers. She was absent from her home during the time that Loudon was in St. Louis, and she accounts for this by saying that just at the time Loudon left Altoona she went to visit relatives in Phillipsburg. Central County, Pa.

M. B. Browning was the first witness examined by Deputy Coroner Lloyd Thursday, when he began the inquest over the remains of D. M. Loudon.

Mrs. Martha Payne and her daughter. Miss Sarah E. Payne were examined Wednesday atternoon. They told of how Loudon had, in company with a woman represented as his wife, reried a room at their home. Prowning is the conductor on the Highest Sarah E. Payne were examined Wednesday atternoon. They told of how Loudon before the couple insteed of going to the hotel Browning had recommended. Second Pine street. Witness then resold the latestements he had made several times and which were published.

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Russian Crop Report.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Bradstreet's this morning received a copy of the official crop report from London as follows:

Russian Official crop reports for 1885 finally make wheat 80,000,000 bu and rye 115,000,000 bu less than in 1894.

Superintendent Ed C. Runge of the St.

Louis Insane Asylum, his assistant, Dr.

Louis J. Oatman and Superintendent Otto
Sutter of the City Hospital were present to
testify, in rebuttal, that these peculiarities
of the defendant were assumed in order to
impress the jury with his plea of insanity.

It was the second day of Dreher's trial
for the murder of Bertha Hungers and in

et en Parlor B of the Planters' Hotel, Wednesday evening,



prior to their departure for a three months' sojourn along the Mediteranean shores. Ex-Gov. David R. Francis acted as toastmaster and assisting him in sprinkling the Attle salt were Breckinridge Jones, Julius S. Walsh, Festus J. Wade, Gus Nieman, Ben Althelmer, Charles Clark, Charles Ellerbe, Samuel E. Hoffman, Otto F. Stifel, L. E. Anderson and others.

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Mrs. Charles N. Lester Found Dead by the Grocer's Messeager.

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FLANSEED—Quiet at \$2.50, pure test.

STOCK PEAS—Quotable at \$5.60 per bu for
mixed, 60-605c for wibly-poor-will and 75-685 for
white.

GASTOR BEANS—Salable at \$1.25 for prime in
car lots; smaller lots, \$1.20-61.29;
LEAD—Strong and advancing. New York and
London reporting their market tending upward
and very fam. Buyers here new at \$2.90, which
at that.

SPELTER—Salable at \$3.75.

GRAPE FRUIT-California, \$607 per box.
BANANAS—On order, 75c@\$1.50 per bunch.
LETTUCE—Louisana sold at \$465 per bbl for choice. thoire.

STRING BEANS—Florida quotable at \$3.50@4 per box for round and \$3@3.50 for final.

TOMATOES—Florida selling at \$2.50@3 per 4-basket crate; California, \$1.50@2 per 4-basket crate. Plorida. CAULIFLOWER—California quotable at 3@3.50 CAULIFLOWER—California quotable at 3@3.50 per crate.

GREEN PEAS—Florida at \$2.75@3.00 per bu box;
California, \$1.75@2 per 20-lb box.
ONIONS—Scarce and firm; choice to fancy red globe, 50@55c per bu; Weatherfield, 40@50c; damaged and inferior, 20@30c.
POTATORS—I good supply and alow demand.
Northern—Early Ohio, 35c per bu; rose, 25@27c;
New York rural and Burbank, 25@30c; home-grown, 26@35c; small and damaged less.
CABBAGE—Firm. Holland seed, 25@28 per ton; dood to choice fat, \$20@25; large, loose and fracted, \$10@12; California, 14c per lb. On orders—Oboles, \$1.75@2 per crate; Holland seed, 1%c per lb; New Louisana dull at \$1.26@1.50 per crate.

SAUERERAUT—On orders, \$2.50 per bbls and Cotton.

Local Market—Dull. No sales reported. Quolations: Ordinary, 6 15-16c; good ordinary, 7 5-16c; law middling. 7 11-16c; middling. 7 11-16c; middling. 8 3-40c; middling. 8 3-4

bbl. SWEET POTATORS—Home-grown, on orders, SWEET POTATORS—Home-grown, on orders, Bermuda, \$1,50 per bbl: Nansemond, \$1,7662.

SPANISH ONIONS—Quiet at 65-675c per crate, RUTABAGAS—Denand limited: Northern, The per bil delivered; on orders, \$1 per bbl.

EGGS.

Receipts, 1,102 cases; shipments, 1,020 cases. Lower. Sales at 1c dosen for fresh; inforior and stale stock the lat less. BUTTER AND CHEESE.

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ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 6.—Rev. Thomas
Cooper, pastor of the Hundley Methodist
Church, this city, has been suspanded from
the ministry, pending an investigation of
charges of conduct unbecoming a minister
of the gospel.

The matter will be investigated by
a committee appointed by Presiding from
England, and at one time was pastor of a
large church in Brooklyn. At that dime he
was a minister in the Congregational
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Glée. MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

POP CORN-Steady, but quiet; mixed, 500000 per 100 lbs; white, 76,850; free, 90c084.

HOPS-Dull. Quote mominally: New York, 76, 10c; Pacific Coast, 56,50; foreign, 206300. RAGS, OLD ROPE AND RUBBER-Rags, 500, 50c, Old ropher, arctice out, 34.

BONES-Choice, bleached, firm at \$17 per ton; partly bleached, \$126; skinny, \$10@12; Junk and slaughter-house stock, \$5,611.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CATTLE—Receipts 2,391 head; market

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Last Monday they were reunited in St.

only brother, who was the same property.

In 1862 or '63 he moved to St. Louis with his two little girls and engaged in the saloon usiness. Louisa was 11 and Christina 3. Drescher found fortune as fickle here as in the East, but he managed to get along until 1874, when he died.

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Last Monday they were reunited in St. Louis under circumstances romantic and unusual.

In 1869, while the flame of civil war was spreading over the country, there lived at Washington, D. C., Charles Drescher, with his family, consisting of a wife and three children. Drescher was a merchant in a small way, being in reduced circustances. When the youngest child, Christina, was but a year old, the mother died and Drescher was left with the children on his hands. John, the cldest, was about 15, and of a roving disposition.

He enlisted as drummer boy in a regiment organized near Washington and went to the front. That was in 1861, and none of John Drescher's relations have seen him since.

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In 1829, while the flame of civil war was spreading over the father and little sister an affectionate farewell, expecting to see them both again in a short time.

Through a singular combination of circumstances the sisters never met again until last Monday.

Her father's death left Christina to shift for herself, but she had grown to be a strong girl of 16. Her first effort was to find her sister, but she could secure no trace of her. Despairing of that she found a laways taken an affectionate interest in her. There she also found a husband and was married in 1877 to Alfred C. Moser, with whom she has since lived.

Years passed, and although each sister made frequent efforts to find the other, chance frustrated every attempt. From time to time rumor would carry to one of them a clue which she would follow in vain. Letters were returned by postmasters unoppend.

On Jan, 3 last Mrs. Elizabeth Moser gave

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On Jan. 8 last Mrs. Elizabeth Moser gave a party at her home, 617 Morgan street. Mrs. Ballon was one of the guests. Somehow, in the conversation, the name of Ewe was mentioned and Mrs. Moser spoke of having a sister by that name.

"Why!" exclaimed Mrs. Ballon, "a friend of mine (Mrs. Bender) knows a Mrs. Ewe well. Perhaps it might be your sister."

It was agreed that Mrs. Ballon should consult Mrs. Bender. She did. Mrs. Bender was taken to call on Mrs. Moser and further comparisons strengthened the hope of Mrs. Moser. Plans to learn the truth were made, but their fulfillment was delayed until last Monday.

Monday. Monday morning Mrs. Elizabeth Moser, Mrs. Bender and Mrs. Ballon took an early train to Peters, Ill., a village about fifteen miles from St. Louis, where the Mrs. Ewe of Mrs. Bender's acquaintance lived. Arriving there the three ladies called at the Ewe home.

home.

Mrs. Moser recognized Mrs. Ewe, whom she knew as a girl, but she gave no sign. The conversation turned to Mrs. Ewe's family, and without suspecting the object she established her identity as Louisa

ter Christina, and when she learned that she was alive and well in St. Louis her joy knew no bounds. They took the first train for St. Louis. They took the first train for St. Louis. The sisters, who had not seen each other for a quarter of a century, were brought face to face. Neither knew the other at first, for time had greatly changed them both. Then tardy recognition came to them and they fiew into each others' arms. It required but little conversation to convince each of the identity of the other. They had much to say to each other, and formed the center of a happy party. Tuesday morning Charles Ewe, Louiss' husband, joined his wife and the day was spent in talking over old times and explaining the futile efforts at discovery. Tuesday afternoon the Ewes departed for home, but the sisters will meet often in the future. A remarkable feature of this long separation is that for the past 20 years the sisters have lived within 15 miles of each other and yet have been keps apart. Mrs. Ews, during that period, has visited St. Louis hundreds of times. She frequently came over to purchase supplies at the Union Market, within half a block of her sister's home, and it is not unlikely that they have rubbed elbows at the shop counters. Then, too, Mr. Moser, has several times visited Peters, Ill., on hunting excursions, where he probably came in contact with his brother-in-law without knowling his name. Mrs. Ewe has a daugh-zer, Miss Minnie Ewe, who lives at tikk



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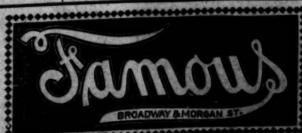
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